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LOUISIANA, MISSOURI

Since 1816

More Than We Ask "It is seldom that I have a chance to write a letter thanking a company for their excellent products. For, in these days, it is seldom that you get more than what you pay for.

When I received your letter in answer to my letter asking for prices on pear trees, you stated that you would send me trees that I would like to plant and be proud of. That, sirs, is an under-estimation in my opinion after looking the trees over. The fact is, anyone would be proud of them. After comparing the trees for size and growth with trees that I bought from nurseries in this state and planted, some of them as far back as two years ago, I realized that I got more than my money's worth from you.

In appreciation for what you have done for STARK BRO'S NURSERIES LOUISIANA, MO.

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In appreciation for what you have done for me and as a suggestion that might help your sales in the northern vicinity, may I make a remark that you do not seem to stress enough that your trees will grow as good up north here as trees bought from this locality. As far as I can see, they are doing as good — even better than trees bought from northern nurseries.—John Yanik, Wayne County, Mich.

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NEWEST MIRACLE IN HORTICULTURE-

You Can Grow Your Own Delicious Tree - Ripe Fruit -Even in Tiniest Back Yard — with

Giant-Size Fruit QUICKER from Trees No Bigger than a Dining Table. You Can Plant 5 Times as Many Stark Hardy Dwarfs as Standard-Size Trees in Same Space.

Trees Sold ONLY by Stark Bro's.

Dreams of millions of town and city families are now coming true when they plant Stark Hardy Dwarf Apple and Pear Trees.

They are picking Giant-Size, Deliciously Flavored, Vitamin-Filled Apples and Pears from their own trees—even if their yards are tiny ones that go with 30 or 50 ft. city lots.

Trees are so small, you don't even need a ladder to pick the fruit and care for trees. Yet strong and sturdy enough to give you bushels of Big, Juicy Apples or Luscious Pears all Summer, Fall and for Winter use if you plant several Dwarf Trees ripening in succession.

FRUIT IS GIANT SIZE

It's amazing, yet Apples and Pears grown on Stark Dwarfs are Giant-Size—as Large or Larger than the same variety grown on Standard-Size

SAME DELICIOUS FLAVOR
Apples and Pears are just as good as they are

when grown on Standard-size trees-just as fine in every way.

BEAR EVEN QUICKER

"Stark Hardy Dwarfs in my father's back yard are surely amazing," says Harry Guengerich. "When only 2 years old, they had a nice crop. This (3rd Year) they are simply loaded."

USE THEM IN A DOZEN PLACES

These Amazing Stark Hardy Dwarfs are so small they will fit in a dozen places around the yard—one on either side of the doorway—Wherever you need a Tall-Growing Shrub.—At corner of house—in Patio—Trained on Wall or house or garage, etc., or as a "Vest Pocket Orchard" at 8 to 10 feet apart.

(Commercial plantings 15 to 20 ft. apart)

PROUD OF STARK DWARFS

"I have 4 Dwarf Apple Trees bought of you a little over 2 years ago and they have had apples on them two seasons. The Golden Lodi had 52 large apples this year. I am very proud of them."

H. Q. Jones, Miss.

Home Sold for MORE Because 1-Year Stark Dwarfs Were Bearing.
"The dwarf trees I purchased from you and planted in my small yard (16x40 feet) in Washington, D. C., bore fruit the following year and aided me in making a nice profit when I sold my place."

J. G. Bradley.

1-Year Stark Dwarfs In Bloom.
"The one dozen Dwarf Apple Trees
you sent me last autumn are all out in
leaf and the Dwarfs sent me just a year
ago are in blossom and will bear fruit
this year. I am very much pleased with
them." Fred W. Canning, Calit.

Number of Dwarfs You Need for Any of Following-Sized Plots of Ground—Planting Dwarfs 10 Feet Apart.

10x20 ft.—# 6 Dwarf Trees
10x30 ft.—12 Dwarf Trees
20x30 ft.—12 Dwarf Trees
20x30 ft.—12 Dwarf Trees
20x50 ft.—18 Dwarf Trees
30x50 ft.—24 Dwarf Trees
For compressial Plantines Plant

For commercial Plantings Plant 15 to 20 ft. apart.



Picking Huge Starking Delicious Apples from Stark Hardy Dwarf Apple Tree Only 4 Years Old. Stark Hardy Dwarf Apple Trees Are Grown by New U.S. Patent Process. Trees are Sold ONLY by Stark Bro's.

WHY Stark "Quadruple Life"

Process Dwarfs Are SUPERIOR TO ANY

Four Separate and Distinct Parts

In producing Stark Quadruple-Life Hardy Dwarf Trees, four separate and distinct parts are required. These are grafted by Stark Bro's Patented Process.

These are grafted by Stark Bro's Patented Process.

1st Part—Special Nurse-Root French Crab type seedling grown especially for Stark Hardy Dwarfs.

2nd Part—The Special SUPER-HARDY Crab is grafted onto Nurse-Root. This combination graft is planted extra deep to encourage development of Hardy Crab Roots with Extra Hardy Trunk.

3rd Part—A Hardy Clark Dwarfing Section from Iowa is grafted on the Special Super-Hardy Crab Trunk.

4th Part—The desired Stark Record-Bearing Strain Variety such as Stark Golden Delicious, Starking Delicious, or Stark Red-Gold, is grafted on top of the Hardy Clark Dwarfing Section. This develops into the Broad, Spreading, Well-Branched Top of these Quadruple-Life (Trade-Mark) Hardy Dwarf Fruit Trees.

Stark Process Patented U. S. Patent Office (Patent No. 2523600)

J. L. Baker of Pennsylvania, picking ½ bushel of big tree-ripe Stark Golden De-licious applies from his Stark Quadruple-Life Dwarf Tree planted in his front yard just 29 months before.

ark Dwarfs Bear Even Younger

Stark Golden Delicious Ap	ple Tree
Planted	. April 1950
Started to bear	Fall 1951
Bore 1/2 Bushel	Fall 1952

Stark Bro's Nurseries,
Louisiana, Missouri.

Gentlemen:

The two snapshots enclosed are of
a Stark "Golden Delicious" Dwarf
planted in April 1950. The pictures
were taken October 1952. That, if I am
correct, is 29 months. This same tree
had a few apples the year before (1951).
In 1952 I took off a few more than ½
bushel. You can observe size from the
snapshot.

A "Lodi" planted the same time had
a peck of fine apples. I believe we
picked them late in July. I am sure
pleased and have recommended Stark
Hardy Dwarf Apple Trees to many of
my friends.

Kindly send me the following—
1 Stark Earliest, Dwarf.

Stark Earliest, Dwarf.

McIntosh Double-Red, Dwarf.

\$4.00
1 McIntosh Double-Red, Dwarf.

\$4.00
1 Northern Spy, Dwarf.

\$4.00
1 Northern Spy, Dwarf.

\$4.00
1 L. Baker, Pa.

Doctor Picks Apples from 2-Year Dwarfs.

"On March 1950 we planted 8 of your dwarf apple trees. They made good growth beyond all expectations. In 1951 they blossomed (some of them heavily) and 5 of the 8 bore fruit. A Stark Golden Delicious had 39 apples on it. (15 on one limb). A Stark Jonared had about 20 apples."

Franklin E. Cutler, M.D. Lincoln County, Oregon.

"February 1949 I purchased from your firm two Stark Golden Delicious and two Starking Delicious' Dwarf Apple Trees. Last year, 1950, the Golden's had a few apple and this season I picked nearly 30° apples from the two trees. I am sure pleased with them and they are a source of admiration by all my neighbors."

C. J. Pine, Lake County, Calif.

Stark Dwarf Trees Hardy in Minnesota. "Last Spring you shipped 6 of your Dwarf Apple Trees to me. At the time there was some question in my mind as to whether they would weather the winter or not. They have come through an unusually severe winter in fine shape and look as good or better than our native trees."

Feed Kosec.

Ferd Kosec, Goodhue County, Minn.

Pleased with Stark Dwarfs.

"The one dozen dwarf apple trees sent me last autumn are all out in leaf and the dwarf apple trees sent me just a year ago are in blossom and probably will bear fruit this year. I am yery much pleased with them."

Fred W. Manning,
Santa Clara County, Calif.

Dwarfs Extremely Popular.
Western New York fruit tree growers report an unprecedented demand for dwarf fruit trees. The dwarf trees take up less room than their standard-size brothers. In huge suburban housing projects, where lots are usually small, they are extremely popular.

Trees Arrived in Excellent Condition.

"Although my order was only a small one, I received it in excellent condition. I was very pleased with the care taken in the packing of the trees to insure their arrival in a good condition. If the trees don't grow I can blame nobody but myself a ... "Donald L. Marquette, Deleware County, Pa.

Prices Dwarf Apple and Pear Trees

\$4,00 Each

Genuine Stark U.S. Plant Patented Process "Quadruple-Life" Dwarf Trees Sold ONLY by Stark Bro's Nurseries.

Tree-Ripe Fruit All Season. You can literally eat your way around the season if you plant a family-size orchard of Stark Hardy Dwarf Trees. Stark Dwarf Trees produce fruit exactly like fruit grown on Standard-size

Early Summer Dwarf Apples

A305 Stark Earliest—See Page 6. A307 Lodi (Early Golden)—See Page 6.

Summer & Fall Dwarf Apples

A313 Summer Champion—See Page 6.
A311 Wealthy, Double Red—See Page 6.
A314 Stark JonGrimes—See Page 7.

Winter Dwarf Apples

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Late Winter-Keeping Dwarf Apples

A301 Starking Delicious—See Page 5. A302 Stark Golden Delicious—See Pages 3 and 4.

A304 Scarlet Staymared—See Page 4.

SAVE MONEY - ORDER

Assortment No. F-100

\$21.00

\$3.00 \$24.00

1 Stark Golden Delicious 1 Starking Delicious 1 Scarlet Staymared 1 Stark RedGold 1 Jon-A-Red 1 Lodi (Early Golden)

(If any variety in Assortment is exhausted our experts will select one of equal value.)

Dwarf Pear Trees-\$4.00 Each

Described and shown in color on Page 10.

A320-Anjou Pear

A308—Bartlett Pear A319—Duchess Pear

A309—Lincoln A318—Fame Pear

A317-Seckel Pear

A321—Starking Delicious Pear-

\$10.00 Each



STARKING DELICIOUS PEACH

TRADE-MARK. Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.

Earliest Yellow Freestone. U. S. Plant Patent No. 803. We paid \$10,000.00 for the Original Limb.

To bring you this Earliest-Ripening of All high quality Yellow Freestone Peaches, Stark Bro's paid the highest price on record for any new fruit tree or bud-sport limb. TWICE as much as for the world-famous Stark Golden Delicious Apple Tree! Vivid red-and-gold Starking Delicious Peach, with its luscious flavor and rich golden yellow flesh (Freestone when full ripe) ripens about 36-40 days earlier than ordinary Elbertas; 10 days before Golden Jubilee; 7 days before Redhaven It has the identical quality and superb flavor of its famous parent, Burbank July Elberta—but it ripens 3 weeks earlier.

Ideal for Eating, Canning, Freezing, Marketing.

BRICEC	4 to 6 ft\$3.75 each	10 or more Trees\$3.50 each
	3 to 4 ft\$3.50 each	10 or more Trees\$3.20 each
	2 to 3 ft \$3.20 each	10 or more Trees\$2.95 each
Plea	se Order ALL Nursery Stock	by Number and Name

A107 STARK LATEGOLD

TRADE-MARK, Reg. U. S. Pat. Off. SWEET CHERRY (New U. S. Plant Patent No. 764)

			PRICES	
0	6	ft.	Size\$2.75	
0	4	ft.	Size\$2.45	
	2	64	Si-a \$2.20	

A119. Early White GIANT PEACH

New, U. S. Plant Patent No. 878. Earliest
Ripening Big, Luscious White-Fleshed
Freestone
At last you can know the palate-tempting
enjoyment of fine Freestone peaches earlier
in the season than ever before. Big, luscious, creamy-white peaches, chock-full of
delicious juice.

PRICES

Genuine Trees of U.S. Patented & Trade

'ARK GO

A Lucky Mountaineer Discovered Gold in a Tree!

The container orchardist. who most they were a new, heretofore that they were an azed him. They looked flavor amazed him. They were shaped like Stark Delicious they asted like Stark Delicious they tasted like Stark Delicious and they tasted for all tasted for it and they tasted for its on the out of a successful and they tasted for its on the successful and the



"The Finest Apple In All

Stark Golden Delicious is the WORLD'S CHAMPION yellow apple. And how it bears! Big, luscious golden fruit has been picked off 2-year trees all over the world.

Whether you plant one tree or a thousand, this gorgeous golden giant will prove to you-bushel for bushel and dollar for dollar-that it is the world's QUICKEST, HEAVIEST bearer.

Extra large, premium size. Rich, cream-colored flesh just bursting with luscious juice—sweet, yet spicy. As juicy as a perfectly ripened pear.

This is the big, sunny-gold, peak-of-perfection apple that will bring you top prices every season. It is always a good, solid, juicy late-keeper—keeps

Greatest All-Around Apple Ever Grown

- "More people are taking to Stark Colden Delicious every year." H. T. Bigelow, Mich.
- "Since I started eating a Stark Golden Delicious at bed-time I have thrown all my medicine bottles away." John Sharpe, Mo.
- "Quickest, heaviest bearer of all." Lester Chambers, W. Va.
- "Still crisp and juicy in June—9 months after picking." Prof. F. S. Merrill, Mo.
- "3 crops from my 5 year trees, even though I am South of the so-called Apple Belt." J. D. Prickett, Ga.
- "Ideal for Eating, fine for Cooking-Demand for this apple is ever increasing." Geo. Marsh, Head Fruit Dealers Assa.

- · "My trees are loaded again this year. They bear every year, even without any other trees to pollinate them." T. Miller, Ohio.
- "I picked 44 bushels from one tree last Fall." J. E. Ulrich, Wash.
- "My trees bore at 2 years old and haven't missed a crop." A. D. Bouland, Kentucky.
- "I market my Stark Golden Delicious at 50% more than others." A. D. Burgeim,
- · "My Stark Golden Delicious came through coldest winter in 40 years—ranging from 43 to 55 degrees below zero. Bore 3rd year after planting and 5 year trees produced 3 bushels each." A. H. Ingalls, Quebec,

Genuine Stark Golden Delicious Trees

D to Grow These Brand New Varieties!

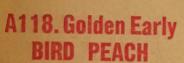
A130 REDHEART

New. Red-fleshed Mid-summer Plum.

Redheart is a Large, New Red-Fleshed Plum—a cross between Wickson and Duarte. In color and shape it resembles Starking Delicious. Its delicious flesh is bright red, becoming somewhat deeper red at full maturity. Flavor sweet and rich with a pronounced aroma similar to Duarte. Texture firm-melting. Fine grained. Excellent Skin moderately tough, crisp—good keeper and shipper. Ripens to its full delicious flavor even when picked firm-ripe. Tree Hardy, Vigorous and a heavy producer. Larger fruit will result from 4" spacing between plums early in season. Fine pollinizer especially for Elephant Heart.

PRICES

4 to 6 ft. Size......\$4.45 3 to 4 ft. Size......\$4.45



U. S. Plant Patent No. 970

Extremely Hardy Earliest Yellow Semi-Freestone. Bright red blush over deep yellow. Luscious flesh is a rich, clear, clean yellow. Medium size.
Very fine when fully tree-ripe. Best
of its season—7 weeks ahead of Elberta.
For the Home, Roadside and Local
Market orchard even in sections where
few peaches thrive. NCS.

4 to 6 ft. \$2.75 ea.; 10 or more Trees \$2.50 ea. 3 to 4 ft. \$2.50 ea.; 10 or more Trees \$2.20 ea. 2 to 3 ft. \$2.20 ea.; 10 or more Trees \$1.95 eq.



A24. STARKING DELICIOUS PLUM

TRADE-MARK, Reg. U.S. Pat. Off. New Red-Fleshed Plum — U. S. Plant Patent No. 1064

Supply LIMITED this year. Reserve YOURS oday! Genuine Trees are Sold ONLY by Stark

PRICES

A142. STARKING **DELICIOUS PEAR**

TRADE-MARK, Reg. U.S. Pat. Off.

S. Plant Patent No. 1044 New Giant! licious! Most Blight-Proof Pear We've or Tested! Trees Sold ONLY by Stark

PRICES

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Stark Bro's Nurseries & Orchards Co. Is as Near You as Your Closest Mail Box

TERMS-You can send all Cash With Order or send 25% Down Payment. Check the payment plan you wish on Order Blank— either the CASH-With-Order Plan, C.O.D. Plan or Easy TIME-PAYMENT PLAN.

HOW TO SEND PAYMENT. It is best and safest to send remittance to Stark Bro's by Check, Postal Money Order, Express Money Order or Bank Draft.

IMPORTANT: Write both Variety NUMBER and NAME shown with price schedules when

WHEN TO PLANT. Select the Planting-Season you-prefer—FALL or SPRING—and check your wishes on Order Blank. We will ship at the right time for planting in your section, during the season you select. Most customers prefer to leave the exact date of shipment to our judgment. We recommend Only Spring Planting in Far Northern States, such as Minn., Montana, etc.

SAVE ON 10-RATE PRICES. Order 10 or More Trees and use the 10-Rate Prices.

On 50 or MORE TREES, SHRUBS or PLANTS, send list of your needs to Stark Bro's send list of your needs to Stark Bro's Comercial-Wholesale Dept., Louisiana, Mo., for SPECIAL ESTIMATE.

EASY MONTHLY PAYMENTS. You can buy Stark Nursery Stock on the Easy Monthly Payment Plan.

Free Trees to Cover Your Transportation Cost Included with Your Order

Stark Bro's will select and include Free, with Customer's Shipment of Nursery Stock pur-chased at prices quoted in this catalog, enough Top-Quality Stark World's Champion Nursery Stock to Cover Transportation Costs the customer pays when his shipment arrives. We are the only nursery doing this as far as we know.

Marked Varieties In This Book SOLD ONLY by STARK BRO'S AMERICA'S QUICKEST, SUREST AND HEAVIEST BEARING APPLE

World" Declared Luther Burbank

till the next crop of apples comes along. Eat it fresh, and you'll never get enough of its crisp, juicy goodness. In Stark Golden Delicious you've got a winner for wonderful, rich apple sauce; full-flavored apple butter; fragrant, mouth-watering pies that fill the whole house with appetizing fragrance. Women, especially, prize Stark Golden Delicious for all kinds of salads, because it stays fresh and tempting long after cutting. Rich in vitamins and minerals—a delicious way to keep the doctor away.

Perfection for Eating, Cooking, Canning, Processing, Market. Bears quick. Bears unusually heavy crops in North, Central, South.

\$52 Crop From Single 7-Year Stark Golden Delicious

Recently Carl Kirn, of Calhoun Co., Ill., sold over \$4,000.00 worth of fruit from 91/2 acres—all Stark Trees, planted on hilly land—land too steep for ordinary

His greatest profits came from Stark Golden Delicious, Starking and Young-Bearing Jonathan Apple Trees. Some Stark Golden Delicious trees bore 20 Apples at 2 years old—a good crop at 3 and 4 years, and every year since. He says that his 7-year-old Stark Golden Delicious Trees bore 15 bushels and cashed him \$52.00 per tree, and he sold his entire crop of Stark Golden Delicious and Starking Delicious for \$3.50 a bushel while still on the trees.

"Unbelievers Came for Miles to See Stark Trees Bearing at 2 Years"

"Burbank July Elberta bore 2 bushels of peaches the second year.

PRICES A2 Stark Golden Delicious
Apple Trees Apple Trees

EACH RATE 10 RATE
(10 to 9 Trees) (10 to 49 Trees)

5 to 7 ft. size....\$2.75 a tree \$2.50 a tree

4 to 5 ft. size.... 2.50 a tree 2.20 a tree 3 to 4 ft. size.... 2.20 a tree 1.95 a tree

If you want 50 or more Trees
Write for Special Prices.
(Also available in Dwarfs at \$4.00 each)

Stark Golden
Delicious Apple
Trees are
Available both
in Standard and
Dwarf Size Trees.

Actual Size Stark Golden Delicious (Trade-Mark) Apple

Even Newspaper Reporter is "Stumped" to Describe Its Glorious Flavor

Attending a Horticultural Show our reporter was handed a huge, gold colored Apple and told "Here, try one of these."

This apple was clearly something special, and our correspondent, whose respect for any correspondent, whose respect for any the care with care.

First, he examined it—turning it this way and that to admire its opulent form, its delice is coloring.

Then, he smelled it—inhaling its rich fragrance with pleasurable anticipation.

Are Sold Only By Stark Bro's



The Supreme Stayman Winesap! Bears Quicker. Flaming Red All Over Weeks Sooner! Stays Crisp and Juicy All Winter

Stark Bro's paid nearly \$1,000.00 a foot for the original limb and tree of this most valuable of all the great Stayman Winesap Family! A glossy, fiery, all-overred, with spicy, juicy, crisp flesh of "sweet but tartish" flavor. Scarlet Staymared makes handsome eating right off the tree. Champion cooks prize it for mouth-watering pies; for cobblers, dumplings just oozing with juice; for tangy apple butter and crystal-clear jelly. And for sparkling, zingy cider, it beats all other Staymens ever known. A brilliant red 30 days ahead of ripening time. One of the biggest of all apples. So distinctive in its flashing red color and giant size, it was awarded a U. S. Patent. Bears young, with enormous crops. For Fating, Cooking, Cidar, Market.

"Weighed 22 Ounces"

"We had Scarlet Staymareds that weighed 22 "Some of our 6-year Scarlet Staymareds trees bore ounces each."—Frank Tracey, Ohio. 14 to 16 bushels each."—Rising Springs Orchard, Ill.

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Actual Jonared

Trade-Mark Reg. U.S. Pat. Off

Supreme-New Super Jonathan-Colors Sooner, and Keeps Longer and Bears Quicker Than Jonathan

and Bears Quicker Than Jonathan

The big, new apple that IMPROVES on all of Jonathan's famous good points—
and does away with the old Jonathan weak points! Jonared (for which the original
tree cost us \$2,000.00) is the ONLY red Jonathan sport to win a U. S. Plant Patent!
Turns bright, all-over-red color about 2 weeks sooner—ready to pick while still solid,
before there's risk of loss through dropping. Fine pollenizer.

Jonared has all the wonderful, prized Jonathan
flavor; it's big and almost TWICE as red—a
bright, solid blazing red without one sign of stripe! One of the most beautiful of all red apples,
Jonared's rich, spicy, tangy flavor makes it a delicious and handsome fruit for your Home Orchard
and a premium-price profit builder in every section. In great demand for Eating, Cooking, Cider,
Market. Trees thrive in North, Central, South.

"\$10.00 Worth Per Tree From 4-Year-Olds"
"I wish you could have seen my 4-year-old
Jonared trees this year. They bore nearly
\$10.00 worth per tree."—John Cruttenden, Iil.

"Jonareds Sold For Twice the Price"
"Jonareds made a good crop of fine colored
all-over-red apples that sold for twice the price
of regular Jonathans."—John Widner, Mo.

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STARK Double-Red ROME BEAU

Stark New Double-Red Rome Beauty is the Largest, Reddest Strain. World's Best Baking Apple

The triumphant answer to the demand for a big, flashing all-over-red Rome Beauty
Apple that keeps firm and juicy all winter long. One of the latest keepers of all apples
in good condition when apples come again. Hotels and Restaurants eagerly pay premium
prices for Stark Double-Red Rome Beauty Apples for appetizing Baked Apples, Pies and
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"One of Most Valuable of 50 Varieties"

"I am sending you sample of Stark Double-Red Rome
Beauty, one of the most valuable of 50 varieties Good
pollenizer. Annual keeper—commencing at young age.
One of the best keepers. So attractive it sells well.

L. I. Clinton, N.Y.

"Best Red Rome"

"Your Stark Double-Red rome Beauty is best of all
Romes steated here. Uniform in size and the color is
always perfect."—W. S. Blair, Supt. Dominion Farms,
Nova Scotis,

"Late Spring Bloomer—Skips Frosts— Bears Every Year"

"Very best apple for this climate. Bears annually.
Blooms late and frosts do not greatly affect its bearing qualities."—F. M. Jones, Santa Fe Co., New Mexico.

"Brings Highest Prices"



Genuine Trees of the "BIG SIX" Apple Leaders of the World are Sold ONLY by Stark Bro's, Louisiana, Mo

Leaders of the Apple World!

STARKING (G)(O)US

Trade-Mark, Reg. U.S. Pat. Off.

America's Most Valuable, Most **Deliciously Flavored Red Apple**

Here is the FINEST red apple in the whole wide world!— the shining, solid-ruby-red giant that glows on the counters of the highest-price luxury stores in America and floods the air with its wine-like perfume Here is the MASTER apple that puts the crowning glory on the nation's most expensive baskets of fruit—the "dream" eating apple prized above all others in deluxe clubs, fine hotels and restaurants throughout the land. The apple which has NEVER been equalled for magnificent color, mammoth size, crackle-crisp flesh, deeply exciting sugar-'n-spice flavor as tantalizing as the fragrance of an old-fashioned garden!

And this is the apple, the matchless STARKING DELICIOUS, that YOU can grow right in your own back yard!

For commercial growing, Starking Delicious is the world's most popular and most profitable red apple. In the past 25 years this one variety has built some of the greatest fruit fortunes in America. Because it turns full-red before it ripens, it can be picked crisp, for late keeping—becomes "money-in-the-bank" for you weeks sooner—keeps perfectly right through the Winter months. All ready to cash in on fancy Spring prices long after ordinary apples have disappeared from the market. The world's finest red eating apple. Tops in all quality markets. America's best red money-maker, producing big money crops everywhere—North, Central, South.



"THEY PUT ME ON EASY STREET" (Photo at left)

"When I planted
250 Stanking Delicious
Apple trees I was
heavily in debt on a
small farm, but in a
short time these trees
began to bear and in
no time at all they put
me on 'easy street'—
making me \$3,000.00 to
\$6,000.00 per year. Not
a bad income for an
old man 80 years old.
When I say apples, I
consider Starking Delicious the finest in the
world."—J. E. Parish,
Calif.

"BORE 4 TIMES WHAT I EXPECTED"

"Last year I harvested a big crop of Starking Delicious Apples. I was never so gratified in the quantity produced, the excellent color and size of the fruit and also in the price—\$3.70 a bushel right at the orchard.
"When I first started to pick these

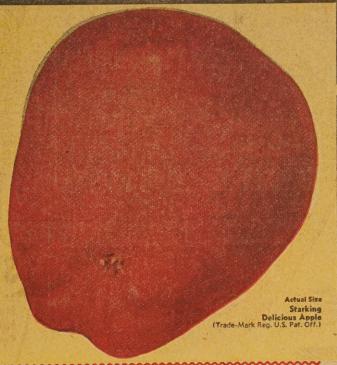
"When I first started to pick these Starking Delicious I thought I would have about a carload—500 bushels— but I picked four cars of them, total-ing 2,000 bushels.

"When the buyer had his last bushel loaded on the truck he patted me on

the back and said 'I sure got a bargain in those apples—you should have got \$4.00 for every bushel of them—because every bushel of them is Extra Fancy."—Paul Ringhausen, Calhoun County, Illinois.

"SAVED US DURING DEPRESSION"

"I have 165 trees of Starking Delicious purchased from you which really saved the day for us during depression years. This small block (2½ acres) grossed me \$17,350.00 the last 6 years."—A. Miller, Ore.



"Got \$5.00 a Bushel for My Apples -\$2,229.80 from 2 Acres of Stark Trees"

Walter H. Atherton of N. M. told us that he sold a \$2,229.80 crop from his 2 acres of Stark Apple Trees this year. He said his local stores paid him \$5.00 a bushel for his No. 1's and that each tree bore over \$30.00 worth of fruit.

10 BU. FROM 7-YEAR TREE

"About 7 years ago I planted 2 Starking Delicious and 2 Stark Golden Delicious trees. They bore the 4th year and this year my best Golden Delicious had 10 bushels. My Starking Delicious were not quite so prolific, but I had plenty that measured 12" in circumference.

"Mississippi may not be an apple state, but if anyone will plant Stark trees and care for them, they will never be disappointed."—Douglas D. never be disa Weeks, Miss.

"WINS SWEEPSTAKES"

"Starking Delicious won Sweepstakes at Canadian Royal Winter Fair and in addition won First, Second, Third Prizes." Canadian Horticulture Magazine.

50% HIGHER PRICE

"My Starking Delicious trees which started bearing when they were 3 years are loaded again.
"One of these trees bore 11½ bushels. Starking Delicious is a keeper and the tree is surely a young and heavy annual bearer. Apples bring me 50% more than Delicious."—F. M. Simon, Ohio.

\$1,020.18 Worth of Apples From \$2.50 Stark Tree "In 1921 my father and mother sent you their picture standing beside a year-old Stark Golden Delicious apple tree bearing 1½ bushels of big golden

apples.

"Here is a picture of me standing beside that same tree in 1948 from which my son has just picked over 19 bushels of big, juicy apples. We estimate that we have harvested about \$1,020.18 worth of Apples from this one tree that cost my father only \$2.50. I might add that we were very conservative in making this estimate." A. Johnson-Mapes (Daughter Albert Johnson, Ore.)

Also Available in STARK HARDY DWARF TREES at \$4.00 Each

PRICES

"Big Six" Apple Trees

A2 Stark Golden Delicious A1 Starking Delicious A4 Scarlet Staymared

EACH RATE

A3 Jonared
A6 Stark RedGold 50c a tree Extra
A8 Stark Dbl. Red Rome Beauty

5 to 7 ft. size \$2.75 a tree \$2.50 a tree \$2.20 a tree \$2.20 a tree \$1.95 a tree

If you want 50 or more Trees, Write for Special Prices

STARK REDGOL

Red Hybrid of Stark Golden Delicious—Rivals Its paring. We Paid World's Highest Price of \$7,500.00 NEW—U. S. Patent Apple—Red H Parent in Flavor and Young Bearing. for This Amazing Apple!

Weeks ahead of Delicious, and before Jonathan reaches prime eating condition, you can smack your lips over the pure deliciousness of Stark REDGOLD! This new apple sensation blends the rich Starking flavor and spicy tang of Stark Golden Delicious. And its trim shape, flashing solid scarlet color, make it so beautiful you'll be proud to say it grows on your property?

When other apples are still too tart or starchy to eat, RedGold—the first high-quality winter dessert apple to develop full

flavor—will be ready for you to pick. Bears amazingly young. Just 13 months after first test graft was set in our Test Orchards, Red-Gold bore its first fruit. Late spring Gold bore its first bloomer, sure bearer.

Stark Bro's gladly paid the famous originator, Mr. F. A. Schell, \$7,500.00—a World's Record Apple Price—for sole ownership of this sensational variety. You'll see why when you raise RedGold for Early Eating, Roadside and Holiday Markets! NNCS.



If You Want 50 or More Trees, Write Our Wholesale-Commercial Dept. for Special Quantity Prices.

STARK "RECORD-BEARING STRAIN" TREES



EACH STARK TREE HAS A FAMOUS "PARENT"—Every fruit tree sold by Stark is propagated direct-in-line from THE FINEST TREE OF THAT VARIETY WE COULD LO-CATE IN THE ENTIRE UNITED STATES a tree with a known record of superior accom-

in better fruit and more profit for fruit
growers."

Leading Horticulturists, when planting
their own orchards, prefer trees they know
have been propagated from trees of known
superior records. For instance, Prof.
Greene, for years Chief Horticulturist of
Ohio Experiment Station, stated:
"If I were planting an orchard myself, I would prefer that the nursery
steek I used would be propagated from
trees of known records."

Kin my 10-acre Stark Demonstration Orchard the apples sold for as much as \$65.00
per tree. Fully ½ of the crop is sold a
whole year ahead."

Montie Hammell, Ind.

Assure You Trees That Bear Years Quicker—Bear Larger Fruit — More Delicious Fruit — Bear Far Heavier

After generations of research and the expenditure of thousands of dollars, we bearing "Strain Tree, and back of it is our now propagate all our varieties direct in line from exclusive Stark Improved World's Champion "Record-Bearing" Strain Tree, and back of it is our Parent Tree with a known record of superior from Parent Tree with a known record of superior Trees.

In other words, every variety of fruit we now grow is propagated direct-in-line from the very finest tree of that variety we could locate in the entire United States—now grow is propagated direct-in-line from the very finest tree of that variety we could locate in the entire United States—a Parent Tree that has an outstanding record for heavier bearing, or younger bearing, or larger sized fruit, or better colored fruit, or a combination of these superior fruit growers."

Leading Horticulturists, when planting the parent Tree with a known record of superior accomplishment.

In other words, every variety of fruit we represent the very finest tree of that variety we could locate in the entire United States—or for the very finest tree of that variety we could locate in the entire United States—or for the very finest tree of that variety we could locate in the entire United States—or for the very finest tree of that variety of fruit we remain the very finest tree of that variety we could locate in the entire United States—or for the very finest tree of the very finest tree of that variety we could locate in the entire United States—or for the very finest tree of the very finest tree is now a "Record-Bearing" Strain Tree, and back of the very finest tree is now a "Record-Bearing" Stra

Stark Exclusive LEADER Apples Genuine "Record-Bearing Strain Old Oak Process" Trees,

EACH RATE 10 RATE 1 to 9 Trees 10 to 49 Trees to 5 to 7 ft. Size...\$2.75 a Tree...\$2.50 a Tree 4 to 5 ft. Size...\$2.50 a Tree...\$2.20 a Tree 3 to 4 ft. Size...\$2.20 a Tree...\$1.95 a Tree

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A8. Stark Dbl.-Red Rome Beauty.
A208. York-A-Red.
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ornamental lawn tree and for

Ripening Early to Late

Large 4 to 5-ft. Size

SAVE 25% EXPERTS' CHOICE ASSORTME Starking ONLY \$30 { Regular Price } for

ASSORTMENT NO. 1 - "BIG 6" WINTER APPLES

WINTER APPLES "BIG 6" LEADER ASSORTMENT NO. 1 ONLY \$11.63 Regular Price \$15.50 YOU SAVE \$3.87

STARK "BIG 6" LEADER

1 (A1) STARK GOLDEN DELICIOUS (Trade-Mark). "Finest flavored apple in all the world," said Luther Burbank. Youngest bearing apple. Rich, iuicy, spicy flavor that commands top prices everywhere. Many bear big apples at 3 years old, some bear at 2 years. 1 (A3) JONARED. (Trade-Mark Reg. U.S. Patent Off.). New Double-Red Jonathan. Same spicy, rich flavor that made Jonathan one of America's most popular apples, plus brilliant, fiery red color. 2 weeks sooner. Avoids dropping. Keeps longer. Makes bigger profits for growers.

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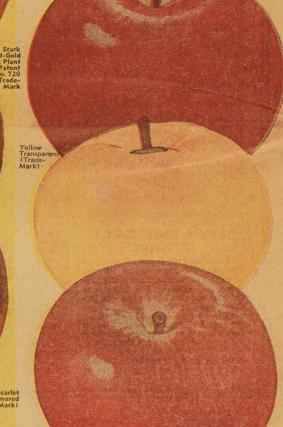
1 (A8) DOUBLE-RED ROME BEAUTY (Trade-Mark)—A big, flashing all-over-red apple-keeps firm and juicy all winter. One of the youngest bearers, surest bearers, longest keepers and biggest money makers.

More popular every year. Ideal for baking and cooking.

1 (A2) STARKING DELICIOUS (Trade-Mark Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.). "World's finest-flavored red apple." Large, beautiful, ideal shape, Amazing color improvement of Stark Delicious. Can be picked blood red while still hard, to keep crisp and juicy until late Spring.

1 (A6) STARK REDGOLD. U. S. Plant Patent No. 720. New Red Hybrid of Stark Golden Delicious. We paid World-Record Price of \$7,500.00 for it. Rivals its famous parent, Stark Golden Delicious, in young-bearing and delicious flavor. Ready to eat just before Jonthan.

Also in Super-Size ONLY \$12.75 If Over 50 Apple Trees Are Wanted, Write for Prices



SUMMER APPLES "SELEC ONLY \$8.78 Regular Price

SUMMER APPLES

annual crops.

1 (A9) YELLOW TRANSPARENT. Very Early.—Crisp white flesh. Juicy, sprightly flavor. An old favorite. Excellent for culinary uses and fair for eating fresh.

1 (A202) WEALTHY, Double-Red (Trade-Mark). Best Fall Apple. Hardy. Fine West, North, East, South. Everywhere the best of its season. Bears extremely young and every year. Long lived. Fruit brilliant flashing red. Medium to large, Quality superb. Wonderful wine-like flavor. Twice as red as old Wealthy.

Also in Super-Size
If Any Variety Is Exhausted, Our Experts

Stark SELECTED Apple Trees

Genuine "Record-Bearing Strain Old
Oak Process" Trees.

PRICES EACH RATE 10 of 49 Trees
5 to 7 ft. Size...\$2.20 a Tree...\$1.95 a Tree
4 to 5 ft. Size...\$1.95 a Tree...\$1.70 a Tree
3 to 4 ft. Size...\$1.70 a Tree...\$1.45 a Tree

Listed in Order of Ripening

Early Red Bird — Pictured and described below

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Yellow Transparent—Pictured below.

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Summer Champion—Pictured below.

Wealthy, Double-Red—Pictured below.

McIntosh, Double Red—Pictured and described below.

Grimes Golden, Dbl-Life-Pictured below.

and juicy. Popular flavor.

A220. Turley Winesap—Large, highly colored apple of the Winesap type and season. Larger and better flavored. Deep red in color. Keeps til' late Spring in storage.

A219. Cortland, 4 Late McIntosh—Pictured below.

A11. Stark Win ssap—New Big Red Strain—Pictured and described below.

Stark "Old Oak Process" Whole-Root Trees

These Big-Rooted Trees Bear Younger. Bear Bigger Crops. Bear Bigger Fruit. Live Longer.

"Old Oak Process" (Trade-Mark) is a symbol of Stark Trees grown on Special Hardy Roots by a Stark Process that makes them so hardy and husky that they are "As Sturdy as an Oak"—though not on oak roots. This Trade-Mark has been Registered in the U. S. Patent Office and is owned exclusively by Stark Bro's Nurseries — the Only Nursery in the World that can Supply genuine OLD OAK PROCESS WHOLE-ROOT Trees.

The vital part of a tree is not the top. You can grow a new top, but you cannot change the roots. The original root system remains—and it will always determine the health and bearing power of the tree. Pieceroot trees are slow growing—are easy prey to insects and diseases. They are easily blown over because they have no big brace roots to hold them firmly in the ground.

The tree that has big, strong, vigorous roots quickly extends its root system downward and in all directions—takes a firm grip

on the soil—eagerly sucks up strength from the earth—shoots upward like a husky, healthy, outdoors boy—comes into full bearing years before the weak piece-root tree and lives and bears big crops, long after the piece-root weakling has been cut up for wood.

Buy no trees that give you anything less than OLD OAK PROCESS Whole Roots. The vitals, life and foundation of your trees—your profits from them year in and year out—depend on the roots. Big-rooted Stark OLD OAK PROCESS Trees bear younger and heavier—bear bigger fruit and live longer—because they have the healthiest, strongest foundations known in the world of horticulture. They are the foundation of most of the great orchards in this country. They have founded the fortunes of many of the most prosperous fruit growers in America.

Stark "Old-Oak Process" Whole-Root Tennessee.

America.

Stark "Old-Oak Process" Whole-Root Trees
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Only from Stark Bro's can you get genuine
"Old Oak Process" Whole-Root Trees.

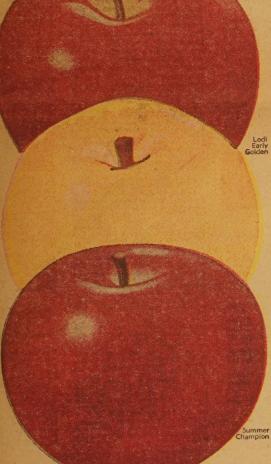
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MARKET APPLES NTS-18 BEST HOME AND

All 3 Assortments Save \$1055 -Trees All Top Quality -With 3-Year Roots



Early McIntosh

Jon-A-Red (T.M.) Scarlet Staymared (Trade-Mark)

ASSORTMENT No. 2-SPECIAL "SELECT 6" APPLES

FALL & WINTER APPLE ASSORTMENT NO. 2 ONLY \$10.84 Regular Price \$14.45 YOU SAVE \$3.61

\$11.70 YOU SAVE \$2.92

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T 6" ASSORTMENT NO. 3

• (A225) EARLY McINTOSH—Early Summer. Solid Red Color, Truly an early McIntosh with McIntosh size and color, flavor and llesh characteristics. Ripe 10 to 15 days after Yellow Transparent.

*1 (A200) LODI, EARLY GOLDEN. Early Summer apple. Quick bearing. Blight resistant improvement over Yellow Transparent. Fruit much larger. Bears younger. Uniform conic shape. Heavy cropper. Young bearer.

91 (A204) SUMMER CHAMPION. Most beautiful, best quality, largest and best shipper of all Late Summer Apples. Heavy bearer, Young bearer. Hardy. Fruit big, handsome, brilliant red blushed. Keeps well. Mtn. Grove Experiment Station reports: "Good color, uniform size. Bears regularly and heavily."

ONLY \$9.90
Will Select a Variety of Equal or Greater Value.

SPECIAL "CHOICE 6"

1 (A208) YORK-A-RED. U. S. Patent. Best of all York Imperial Red Sports. Solid red color. Tree vigorous. Hardy, heavy bearer. A great favorite with commercial growers. Fruit large, crisp, firm. Very late

mercial growers. Fruit large, crisp, firm. Very late keeper.

1 (A7) GRIMES GOLDEN, "Double-Life" (Trade-Mark). Parent Tree averaged 40 bushels for 14 years. Hardy Tree. Long lived. Famous spicy Grimes Golden Apple for over 50 years the Queen of Quality. Medium size, beautiful golden yellow. Conical shape. Alluring flavor surpassed only by Stark Golden Delicious.

1 (A4) SCARLET STAYMARED (Trade-Mark). New profit-maker. Wonderful flavor—long keeper. A Stayman Winesap plus bright flashing all-over-red which brings higher prices.

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1 (A203) STARK JON-GRIMES. U. S. Patent Apple. New. Sure bearer. Large, high quality late summer apple. Regular and heavy bearer. Excellent for eating and cooking.

Also in Super-Size ONLY \$11.96

Sorry. No Changes in Assortments.

AMAZING NEWER, BETTER STARK-BURBANK PEACHES You Can Grow Them to Undreamed-of Size, Color, Delicious Flavor

Peach Trees are Dwarfish Growing and can be planted along with Stark Dwarf Apple and Pear Trees in Small Space.

A50 HAL-BERTA GANT Trade-Mark***

World's Largest Yellow Freestone Peach. Many Weigh a Pound Each.

"Hal-Berta Giant is unquestionably the greatest peach of all time," declared R. H. King, famous Peach Grower. At 4 years original tree of Hal-Berta Giant produced -6 bushels of giant-sized peaches — many weighed a pound each.

eye-appealing condition.

Hardy — Thrives in all Peach-growing sections —
North, Central, South. Plant with Starking Delicious,
Burbank July Elberta or Stark Early Elberta for bigger crops. Young, heavy bearer. Often bears at 2 years.

Uses —Marvelous for Eating Fresh, Desserts, Freezing, Canning and biggest money-maker on the market.

A48 STARK EARLY ELBERTA Trade-Mark***

The SUPREME Yellow Freestone Peach of its Season. The Favorite All-Purpose Peach.

"Favorite Freestone Peach with Commercial Canners"

— These are just a few of the many letters of praise which come to us from all over America about Stark Early Elberta — Genuine Sumner Gleason Strain.

• Colorful — Pure Golden Yellow, with glorious Vivid Red Blush. Thick, luscious Golden Yellow Flesh. A

A42 STARKING U. S. Plant Patent No. 803 ***

First to Ripen of All Top-Quality Yellow Freestone Peaches.

To Demonstrate the Superior Quality of

STARK BRO'S "SUPER 6" LEADER PEACHES

We Offer You - - - - Assertment No. 8 - - - - for ONLY \$12.75

Regular Price \$17.00 — YOU SAVE \$4.25

1 Tree Each of Stark "SUPER 6" Leader Peaches, listed in order of ripening:
Starking Delicious — Burbank July Elberta — Stark Early Elberta — Honeydaw Hale — J. H. Hale, Stark Red Strain — Hal-Berta Giant. Ripening in succession, they give you luscious, tree-ripe Peaches all summer long.

Also in Super-Size Trees - \$13.88

Complete STARK PEACHES Listed in Order List of Ripening

Stark Very Early Peaches

New U.S. Plant Patent No. 878 ***

A38. Stark Jun-Berta

** U. S. Plant Patent No. 1021
Resembles Elberts Queen (Above),
New. Large, Very Early-Ripening Yellow—Bud-Sport of Verice Review

A100. Stark Sure-Crop

Stark Early Peaches

A A104 Fairhaven*** Early Ripening Yellow Freestone

Stark Late Peaches A158. Shipper's Late Red. We sell the true strain. Yellow Freestone, NCS.

A43. Stark Late Elberta

A107 Stark LateGold U. S. Plant Patent Applied For NEW. Late-Ripening Yellow Freestor

A47 BURBANK

Stark Peach Trees Are So Husky and Hardy

They Often Start to Bear at 2 Years. Plant-

ing Instructions FREE with Each Order.

A Sensation Wherever Peaches Grow. Often Bears at 2 Years. So Distinctive it was awarded a U. S. Patent.

JULY ELBERTA

A49 J. H. HALE Red Strain "The Million Dollar Peach"

• Color — Vivid carmine over golden yellow, almost fuzzless skin. A perfect Freestone.

Mammoth Size - Almost as large as Hal-Berta

A40 Honeydew Hale *** U. S. Plant Patent No. 888. Trade-Mark,

Revolutionary Firm White-Fleshed Free-stone. A Wonderful Keeper and Shipper.

• Uses—Superb for Eating Fresh, Desserts, Freezing and Markets.

PRICES

d ready to eat Very Early

3 weeks before Elberta A161. Burbank Flaming Gold Trade-Mark ***

.\$2.75 a tree \$2.50 a tree 2.50 a tree 2.20 a tree

STARK FUZZLESS PEACHES (IMPROVED NECTARINES)

A160. Stark Early Flame

A159. Fuzziess-Berta

Bearing Strain Trees are Sold ONLY by Stark Bro's Largest Nursery in the Missouri since 1816.



Symbol of Highest Quality Fruit Trees. Shade Trees, Flower-ing Shrubs, Roses, etc.

Stark Newest and Best PEACHES Stark "SUPER 6" LEADER Peaches

All Trees Genuine Stark Record-Bearing Strains	EACH RATE (1 to 9 Trees)	10-RATE (10 to 49 Trees
4 to 6 ft. size	\$2.75 a tree	\$2.50 a tre
3 to 4 ft. size	2.50 a tree	2.20 a tre
2 to 3 ft. size	2.20 a tree	1.95 a tree
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d and Trade-Marked Trees Sold ONLY by Stark Listed in Order of Ripening

A42 Starking Delicious*** \$1.00 per tree Extra.

Earliest Top Yellow Free. A47 Burbank July Elberta*** Top Quality. Top Money-

A48 Stark Early Elberta*** Exquisite Flavor. Best Fresh, A49 J. H. Hale*** Red Strain. Excellent Canner, Shipper. 4 A100 Stark Sure-Crop*** U. S. Plant Pat. No. 670. Hardiest Known Peach. A40 Honeydew Hale*** Ships, Cans, Freezes. \$1.00 Extra. World's Largest White Peach.

A50 Hal-Berta Giant*** New White Free. Fine Shipper.

PRICES

Golden Elberta Cling

*** Trade-Mark
World's Finest Canning Yellow
Clingstone

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Listed in Order of Ripening

A119 Early White Giant*** U.S. Plant Pat. No. 878. Earli est White Free. Large.

A118 Golden Eurly Bird*** U. S. Plant Pat. No. 970. Earli

Write Wholesale Dept, for prices on 50 or more.

Stark "SELECTED" Peach Trees

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4 to 6 ft. size	\$2.50 a tree	\$2.20 a tree
3 to 4 ft. size	2.20 a tree	1.95 a tree
2 to 3 ft. size	1.95 a tree	1.70 a tree
Peach Varieties are Listed in	order of Ripening-	Farlinet firet of

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A38 JUN-BERTA**25c Ex.

A111 Dixiegem** Stark
Giant Strain

A106 Redhaven**

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A107 Redhaven**

A108 Redhaven**

A108 Redhaven**

A109 Redhaven**

A41 Golden Jubilee**
A104 Fairhaven*
A117 EUREKA HARDY**
A102 Rochester*

MID-SEASON

A118 Shipper's Late Red*
A107 STARK LATEGOLD
U.S. Plant Pat. Applied For — 25c Extra
Plant Pat. Applied For — 25c Extra
A101 Indian Blood Cling* A44 Halehaven**

A39 Belle of Georgia**

A101 Indian Blood Cling*

A105 KRUMMEL OCT.**

A152. Stella Even Hardier

APRICOTS

A32. Wilson Delicious

4 to 6 ft. Size ...

.\$3.75 a tree \$3.50 a tree 3.50 a tree 3.20 a tree



PEARS Selected and Perfected for You by Stark STARKING DELICIOUS Sensational New U. S. Patent Pear — See Page 3.

Stark Seckel Sugar Pear. Late Summer. Every Family Needs Seckel. In Stark Seckel we offer you the acme of Pear perfection. Medium size. Flavor is spicy and sweet. Tree hardy. Resistant to blight. Eating, Desserts, Canning. NCS.

Duchess (Angouleme) Fall. Faverite of Housewives. Finest Fall Pear for Midwest. Best Variety to Grow as Dwarf Tree. A huge Pear—often weigh over a pound each. Excellent Eating, Canning, Preserves. NCS.

Buerre Bosc Wister Resident

Buerre Bosc Winter. Distinctive Long-Necked Pear—Popular. A pear that is popular everywhere. Exquisite quality. Fruit large, juicy and extra sweet. Eating, Cooking, Market. NCS.

Stark Tyson First Pear Ripe. Idea Blight-Free Tree. A Summer Seckel. This delicious Pear is just like Stark Seckel. Very early. Hardy. Blight-Free. Eating, Canning, Desserts. NCS.

BARTLETT Summer — One of Best Pears for Esting and Canning. Stark Improved Strain. Bartlett is a favorite everywhere — probably the most popular. most widely planted of all pears.

A beautiful pear—large in size, golden yellow with soft blush when fully ripe. Quality is superb—juicy and melting, with a rich flavor. A great favorite for Eating Fresh, Canning and Shipping. NCS.

Best Performance when Grown as Dwarf Tree. Young-Bearing. Trees sold ONLY by Stark. An ideal Pear to add beauty and mouth-watering fruit to your garden. Resembles Bartlett — earlier. Hardy. Quick bearer. Eating, Canning. NCS.

DWARF PEARS

We can supply following varieties in Dwarf
Trees at Prices below:
A318 Fame*** \$ 4 Ea.
A321 Starking*** \$ 4 Ea.
A324 Starking*** \$ 4 Ea.
A324 Starking*** \$ 4 Ea.
A325 Asjour** \$ 4 Ea.
A326 Asjour** \$ 4 Ea.
A326 Asjour** \$ 4 Ea.
A327 Stark Jeckers* \$ 4 Ea.
A328 Partieti** \$ 4 Ea.
A329 Darkers** \$ 4 Ea.
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GRAND CHAMPION

U.S.
Pl. Pat.
No. 585

Delicious as Bartlett. Ripens 2.to 3 Weeks
Later. When your teeth sink into a gorgeous, golden-russet Grand Champion
Pear, with its mellow, sweet, juicy white
flesh—and your nose drinks in its bubbly
fragrance—you've found the Pear you've
always dreamed of growing!
Grand Champion, U. S. Patent, is a
true limb-sport of the luscious Gorham.
Heavy bearer. Size, shape and flavor
closely resemble Bartlett, but ripens in
the Fall, 2 to 3 weeks later. Eating, Cooking, Canning, Market. NCS.

Anjou Late Fall. Succeeds Everywhere. Famous for Rich Flavor. Rich flavored, large pear that succeeds in all sections. Resists blight. For Eating Fresh, Canning, Preserves. Market. NCS.

Kieffer Winter—Favorite in South.
Does Not Blight. A large, rich yellow Winter Pear. Fine for Canning, Baking, Preserves—only fair to eat fresh. NCS.

LINCOLN (Trade-Mark). Very Hardy—Productive.

One of the finest summer pears especially adapted for the Middle West. Rich Golden Yellow with a pink blush—large size—delicus quality to give full flavor weeks earlier. Trees are healthy, vigorous and highly productive and have given an outstanding account of themselves east of the Rockies and West of the Appalachian Mountains. Lincoln is ideal for Home Orchards. Big crops in late summer. Extra size, luscious quality, picture-book beauty. Eating, Cooking, Canning, Market. NCS.

PRICES-PEAR TREES

STANDARD SIZE EACH RATE [10 to 49 Trees]

5 to 7 ft. size.....\$3.50 a tree \$3.20 a tree 4 to 5 ft. size.... 2.95 a tree 2.75 a tree 3 to 4 ft. size... 2.95 a tree 2.75 a tree A133 Anjou (Hov.)**

A136 Buerse Bosc (Oct.)**

A131 FAME (Oct.)** 2.5 c Ex A132 Grand Champion***
(Oct.) U. S. Pl. Pot. No. 585.—50c Extra.



Starking Hardy Giant-Hardiest Red Sweet Cherry.



Stark Gold-Hardiest Yellow Sweet Cherry



CHERRIES—Newest, Hardiest, Heaviest Bearing Champions Stark GOLD Trade-Mark. Superb Quality. MONTMORENCY STARK Trade-Mark.

Trade-Mark Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.

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At last, a giant hardy red teammate for Stark Gold.

Trees bear immense clusters of huge, gorgeous darkred cherries. Flavor is so full and rich, flesh so firm
and crisp, you can't get enough of this superb eating.

Ripe about 2 weeks after Strawberries. Bore big crops
even where Sweet Cherries never bore before. Grand
for Eating, Cooking, Freezing, Canning, Market. NNCS.

e BURBANK'S BLACK GIANT Trade-Mark. New, Sugary Sweet and Delicious. One of the finest all 'round Sweet Cherries ever created. Burbank's own description makes you want to bite right into its tempting deli-ciousness! "Firm, deep blackish crimson— sugary sweet and delicious. Bore even after 26 below." Fine for Eating, Cooking, Can-ning, Markes NCS.

26 below." Fine for Eating, Cooking, Can-ning, Market, NCS. BURBANK HONEY-HEART (Trade-Mark) New. A Big Sweet Cherry—often an inch in diameter. Golden-yellow, almost completely overspread with bright-red when fully ripe. Crisp, juice-laden, delicious flesh. Very Early. One of Burbank's youngest, heaviest producing Sweet Cherries. NCS.

o STARK LAMBERT.—Extra Hardy Strain.
A beautiful big black Sweet Cherry—one of the largest, glossiest and handsomest of all dark-colored Sweets, and Stark Strain is one of the Hardiest. Flesh is purplish-red, crisp and delicious. Firm meaty and juicy with a sweet rich flavor that wins friends at first taste. Fruit sets in great loose clusters—often a dozen or more cherries to a single fruit spur. For delicious Eating, Desserts, Freexing, Canning, and Markets. NCS.

Super Hardy. Hardiest yellow Sweet Cherry ever developed! Sure bearer. Like nuggets of glowing gold, with a luscious, spicy flavor that melts in the mouth and honey-clear beauty that "sings out" on the table! An ideal Teammate for Starking Hardy Giant. Ripe about a week after Montmorency. A top favorite for Eating, Cooking, Canning, Freezing, Market. NNCS. BLACK TARTARIAN IMPROVED. Hardy, Sweet, IDeacon Strains. Favorite dooryard and roadside market Sweet Cherry. Not as large as some giant Sweets, but its purple-red, rich-flavored flesh-firm and crisp yet juicy-plus its heart shape and glossy rich color-delight the eyes and palate! Among the earliest to ripen. Good for shipping and canning, one of best for Eating Fresh. Desserts. NCS

MONTEARLY CHERRY, Trade-Mark. MONTEARLY CHERRY, Trade-Mark. Montearly will give you Cherries for pies. cobblers, tarts, canning and freezing earlier than any other cherry. Ready for home and market 2 weeks before Montmorency. Color is deep, rich wine with glorious deep-red juice. Sweet and meaty. Good shipper. Bore at 1 year. "My 1-year Montearly and Stark Gold bore fruit at 1 year." Fred Tim, Minn. NCS.

of beat for Eating Fresh. Desserts. NCS

RAINBOW STRIPE—Sweet Yellow
Lambert—Trade-Mark.
Unique Bud-Sport of Stark Lambert. A huge, beautiful creamy yellow Sweet Cherry with a narrow ruby-red stripe from stem to tip. Fruit has all the delicious, firm, meaty, rich. sweet flesh that makes Stark Lambert so popular. Tree Hardy, big crops. NCS.

NAPOLEON

Anal — Stark Hardy
Strain. Extra large Sweet
Cherry, Ocolden Yellow, overspread with coral-red. Beautiful Playor rich and sweet. Flesh purplish red with beautiful red juice. Firm, Meaty, Crisp and with coral-red. Beautiful Playor rich and sweet. Flesh firm, juicy, crisp. Keeps well. Ships beautifully. Trees bear young and bear big crops. NCS.

Anal — Stark Hardy
Strain. Extra large Sweet
Cherry, Golden Yellow, overspread with coral-red. Beautiful red juice. Firm, Meaty, Crisp and beautifully Trees bear young and bear big crops. NCS.

WINDSOR — Stark Record—Bearing Strain.
Cooking, Canning, Freezing and well on all markets. NCS.

Extre Large Red Pie Cherry. For over 20 years, many have called Montmorency Stark the World's Best Pie and Canning Cherry. When fully ripe it's sweet—a favorite with the children. Extra large, brilliant red1 A strong grower, Hardy, and a sure and young bearer. Top favorite for Eating, Cooking, Canning, Freezing, Market. NNCS. PRICES-Leader Cherry Trees

\$1 Safra
A227 Burbank's Black Giant***_ \$1.00 Extra
A231 Burbank's Honey-Heart, Trade-Mark***
A31 Stark Lambert, Hardy Certified Str.***
A28 Black Tartarian Imp., Deacon Str.***
A235 Rainbow Stripe, Trade-Mark***
Sour or Red Pie Cherries

A29 Montearly—Trade-Mark***
A26 Montmorency Stark, Trade-Mark***
A230 Suda Hardy**
Stark "SELECTED" Cherry Trees

RED PIE CHERRIES A228 Dyehouse—Early (Good Quality)* A226 Bing®
A228 Dyehouse—Early
A30 Napoteon (Royal
Ann)®
A229 Early RichmondA233 Windsor

A229 Early Richmond(Productive)®

Genuine Trees of U. S. Pl. Patented and Trade-Marked Pears and Cherries Above Sold ONLY By Stark.



New STARKING DELICIOUS Plum



Burbank's GRAND PRIZE Prune Magnificent Giant Prune



Burbank's RED ACE Plum Bears Young. Bears Big Crops Every Year.

PLUMS—Luther **NEW** Creations **Burbank's Greatest**

STARKING DELICIOUS PLUM—Red Fleshed—P. Pat. No. 1064. Trees Sold ONLY by Stark—Hardy New Plum Creation! A beautiful, big, red-fleshed Mid-Season Plum. Sparkling

ro). Iderful for Eating Fresh, Freezing, Canning, let, and how it ships! Burbank's Elephant t Trees are sold ONLY by Stark. NCS.

DHEART —New. Red-fleshed Mid-sum-Plum. Redheart is a Large, New, Red-hed Plum—a cross between Wickson and te. In color and shape it resembles

ANK'S GREAT YELLOW —Trade-Mark st of all Yellow Freestone Plums! So superior I other yellow plums, it is vritually a fruit! Freestone when fully ripe. Largest golden plum of all Luther Burbank Won-

Burbank's GRAND PRIZE -Trade-Mark

Magnificent Giant Prune

"Burbank's Grand Prize Prune is the largest and best-textured prune I have ever seen" says Homer DeVille of N. Y. State. "Immense size, many 3 inches or more in length—even bigger than you show in your catalog. Have sold these prunes on my roadside stand every year at 30c and 35c a quart, and customers can't get enough of them." Bluish-purple skin with light-blue bloom. Golden flesh—delicious, juicy, sweet. NCS.

der Creations—from 2 to 2½ in. diameter Pure yellow without a touch of blush. Sweet and mild. Wonderful for Eating, Market. NCS.

O STARK GREEN GAGE PLUM — Trade-Mork—Best of All Gages! A Mid-Season Plum as Sweet as Honey! Rich flavor. fine texture. Juicy. Beautiful roundish oval, greenish yel-low plums turning golden yellow when ripe. Sometimes mottled with red. Wonderful for Eating. Sherbets. Canning, Preserving. NCS

SANTA ROSA — Originated by Burbank.
Gold Medal Winner at Lewis & Clark Exposition.
Beautiful, big, dark red Plum. Firm sweet flow. Ships wonderfully. Hardy. Bears big Cops. NCS

GOLD — Trade-Mark We paid Burbank \$3. 000.00 for Gold Plum that families all over America might enjoy it for Canning, Preserves. Butter. Sauce and felly. Beautiful goldenvellow blushed bright cherry red when ripe Limbs literally roped with Plums. Hardy—thrives from Atlantic to Pacific. Young bearer. Ships well Ripens Mid-Season. NCS.

STARK EARLY GOLD (Shiro)—Trade-well with the season. Tree is Hardy and so prolific it sometimes needs chinning. Succeeds North. One of the best for South. Flesh tender, juicy, sweet. Fine for Earling, Jelly, Preserves. Plum Butter and Sauce and Preserves. Home and Local Market. NCS

OUS, JUICY, SWEET. NCS.

Hardy. NC

OMAHA—Mid-Season. Extra Hardy—
Fruit is very large—almost perfectly round.
Dark rich red. Flesh is meaty, sweet and delicious. Tree Hardy and bears heavily. Fine for Cooking, Canning, Market. NNCS.

BURBANK'S MAMMOTH CAPDINAI
Trade-Mark. Wonderful New YellowFleshed Plum. Largest, best of all Luther
Burbank's Red Plums—grows up to 2½ in.
across. Thick, rich, semi-transparent golden
yellow flesh—firm and fine-grained. Ripens
Early. Hardy. Bears Fast and plenty! "Tops
market—buyers grab them at 10c apiece and
beg for more." NCS.

PRESIDENT. A beautiful Purple Plum!
Extra large. Freestone. A dessert plum that
is fast growing in popularity because of its
beauty, large size and wonderful flavor. Tree
is healthy, hardy and disease-resistant. Exceptionally young bearer. NCS.

STARK GIANT DAMSON (Big Mackey)
Trade-Mark — Largest and Best of all Damsonal
Fruit deep purple. rich and luicy. Easy to

Trade-Mark — Largest and Best of all Damsonal Fruit deep purple, rich and juicy. Easy to grow and bears tremendous crops. Every home should have Giant Damson for Jams Iclities, Preserves. Big profit-maker. NCS.

STANLEY PRUNE — Stark Strain— "Stanley prune tops all others" declares H. Burkholder, famous fruit grower, "and it bears when only 2 or 3 years old." Bears tremendous crops annually. Big market demand and housewives prefer it for Eating, Canning. NCS.

Burbank's VRED ACE

Trade-Mark

A Sensationally Young, Heavy Bearer
Luther Burbank described Red Ace—"Big. Crimson flesh. Small seed. Sweet as sugar. Rich flavor and full of delicious juice." One of the largest of all plums. Ripe Mid-Season. A wonderful shipper! Grand for eating fresh and a winner on the market. Dwarfgrowing tree. Sensationally young bearer. A big crop every year. Ideal for border and backyard planting. Hardy. NCS.

Stark & Burbank

Trees Sold ONLY by Stark Bro's

Scarce, Order Early EACH RATE

Record-Secring Strains (1 to 9 Trees)
4 to 6 ft. Size \$3.75 a tree \$3.75 a tree
3 to 4 ft. Size \$3.75 a tree \$3.50 a tree

A24 Starking Delicious**

A18 Great

Yellow**

A12 Grand Prize**

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A12 Reamonth

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C650 Purple Flame

A128 Grand Prize**

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A23 Gold Plum**
\$3,000 Plum. A128 Red Ates

Stork "SELECTED" Plums
All Trees Genuine Stork EACH RATE 10 RATE
Record-Bearing Strains (1 to 9 Trees) (18 to 49 Trees)

VERY EARLY

A17 Early Gold**

A15 Santa Rosa®

A22 Omaha** (Sweet, A124 President*
A20 Stark GREEN
Gage**
A125 Prune, Stanley*
A21 DAMSON, STARK
GIANT, Big
Mackey

STARK GRAPES, RASPBERRIES, BLACKBERRIES, STRAWBERRIES

AT.. New. Yellow Grape. fruit clusters filled out with highest quality. Originated

on.
yellow. Flesh greenish, juicy,
us. Refreshing with Muscat
good to best.
home use, local and roadside
ay be too tender for distant

CKS.—The Super Concord. Larger than ar Concord. Flesh is juicy, fine grained, sweet, and delicious. Heavy bearer and strong er. Ripens with or a little before Concord. llent for eating fresh, jellies, jams and grape VAN BUREN — New. Earliest of All

st profitable varieties for commercial grape. A rich LUCILE-Mid-Season Red Grape. A rich I grape. Good everywhere and under all conditions the season Fruit delicities.

For eating, jelly, juice and market.

CATAWBA—Favorite Late Red. A favor-

Very Early. Blue 3 weeks earlier than Concord. Fine fla-cries large, round, hang well. Flesh solid and tender. A favorite for home use and

DIAMOND—Sest White Grape. Famous rly ripening white grape. Delicious quality, esh transparent, juicy, tender to melting. Fine ained. Aromatic. Sprightly, For eating, for ape juice, jelly and market.

NIAGARA — "The Yellow Concord." he of the most widely planted and best known itte grapes. Bunch is large. Fruit has wonderdelicious flavor. Excellent home grape.

STARK GRAPES

STARK DELICIOUS. Greatest of all Red Grapes. Vines Sold ONLY by Stark Bro's.

ITrade-Mark). Best red grape. Stark Delicious nas become so popular that we have never been able to grow enough vines to supply the demand. Its color is so attractive, its bunch so large and handsome, the quality so delicious it brings top prices

prices
Flavor is delightfully rich and sweet. Ripens
here in September. It is one of the youngest bearers—often producing grapes on 1-year vites. Vine
is hardy, healthy and produces luxuriant foliage.
For eating, for table, for jelly, for grape juice,
tor the small town or city market. Stark Delicious
is ideal.

STARK GRAPES

100 or More Grape Vines-Write for Special Prices

LARGE Listed in order of ripening B815 VAN BUREN** New 1.25|1.00| | .75| .60| .50 B806 Fredonia** Blue-Black
B808 PORTLAND** New
Golden-White .75| .60| .50 White
MEDIUM
B803 LUCILE** Red . . .
B821 HICKS** Big Concord Bue-Black 1.00 90 .80
B800 CONCORD® Blue-Black .35 .30 .25
B804 GOLDEN MUSCAT***
Golden-White 1.1.25 | 1.00 .90
B805 WALLIS GIANT*** Blue-Black
Bair STARK DELICIOUS***
Red 1,25 1.00 B807 Catawba** Red 5th .40 | .36
Asparagus and Rhubarb Prices
See Page 12.

RASPBERRIES - BLACKBERRIES

• FLAMING GIANT RASPBERRY — Hardiest. Bernes large. Rich, alluring red color. Flesh is firm, making it an excellent shipper. Because of their beauty they always bring premium prices.

MERSEREAU BLACKBERRY— Beautiful ossy black Our best seller and a standard herever blackberries are grown. Has the good oints of the old Snyder, is larger, better quality.

PRICES STARK BERRIES 100 of More Plants

Write for Special Prices

STARK RASPBERRIES

10004	bristoi, Black	4.00	0.10	10.00
→ B929	Columbian*, Purple .	3.50	7.50	12.50
→B927	Logan*, Black	4.00	8,75	15.00
-\B923	Cumberland*. Black .	3.00	6.25	10.00
△B918	Cuthbert*, Red .	3.00	6.25	10.00
≥B921	FLAMING GIANT			
	(Ohta)** Red, Hardy	4.00	8.75	15.00
→B920		4.00	8.75	15.00
△ B922	LATHAM-Redpath			
	Strain***, Red	4.00	8.75	15.00
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	prov. Latham***, Red	4.00	8.75	15.00
△B919	ST. REGIS* Ever-			
	bearing, Red	3.50	7.50	12.50
△B928	Sodus* New			
	Improved. Purple	4.00	8,75	15.00
S R910	Indian Summer**, Red	5.00	11.25	20.00

STARK DEWBERRIES

COMPLETE JUNE STRAWBERRY
GARDEN ASSORTMENT GARDEN ASSORTMENT
25 Polar Queen—Early
25 Bellmar—Early Mid-season
25 Jumbo—Mid-season
100 Plants—for ONLY \$10.05

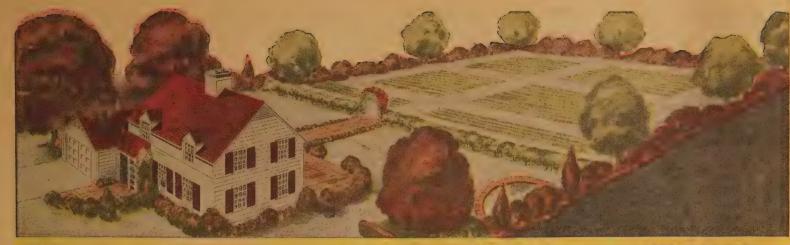
EVERBEARERS

the biggest news in Strawberfres in tirry years. Unsurpassed for Freezing. Deep red clear through. Possesses an abundance of natural sugar. Solid and firm, it holds its eye-appealing beauty when thawed. So big, so red and so sweet it is the best for Desserts, Freezing and Preserves.

OTH CENTURY - Everbearer. Beautiful bright red erries. Delightful taste, Fine shipper. Heavy roducer, Starts to bear fruit within 60 days and eeps right on until frost. A profit-maker for narket growers. Supply very limited this year.

UPERFECTION — Everbearer. New Jumbo-Size Everbearing Strawberry. Fine flavor. Big crops of large honey-sweet berries. Deep-red color all the way through. Heavy bearer.

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MAKE YOUR HOME—LARGE OR SMALL... A "SHOW PLACE" OF LIVING BEAUTY

A Happier Place to Live . . . A More VALUABLE Place, IF YOU EVER SHOULD WANT TO SELL Please Order ALL Shrubs by Number and Name

DWARF SHRUBS

rows 3 to 4 feet in height. This is one the old fashioned favorites. Blooms in try Spring. The branches are almost all the state of the

C578 BARBERRY—Red Leaf
Beautiful new red-leafed sport of the
Green Leaf Earberry, prized for its bright
foliage. Rich, lustrous foliage the entire
season. Like Green Leaf Barberry except for its bronze-red foliage.

1 to 1½ foot size, \$1.70 each
1½ to 2 foot size, \$1.70 each
See Hedge Plants for Quantity Prices

to 2 root size, \$1.40 each to 3 foot size, \$1.65 each

in front of tall shrubs. Makes a beauti low-flowering hedge. 1 to 1½ foot size, \$2.65 each 1½ to 2 foot size, \$2.95 each

1 ½ to 2 foot size, \$1.50 each
2 to 3 foot size, \$1.75 each

C553 SNOWBERRY, Improved Sometimes called "Waxberry." Just like Coralberry above, except berries are snow-white.

11/2 to 2 foot size, \$1.35 each 2 to 3 foot size, \$1.60 each

C544 SPIREA, Anthony Woterer Blooms from July until frost. Bright rosy erimson flowers in clusters. Favorite for foundation planting, entrance, for edging taller shrubs and as a low blooming hedge. Dwarf grower.

arf grower. 1 to $1\frac{1}{2}$ foot size, \$1.85 each $1\frac{1}{2}$ to 2 foot size, \$2.10 each

C509 SPIREA, Froebel
Large clusters of rosy-pink bloom similar to Spirea Ant. Waterer. Taller growing than Ant. Waterers. Blooms well, even in shady places. Excellent for low growing, intrimmed hedges, foundation and entrance plantings. Dwarf.

11/2 to 2 foot size, \$2.00 each
2 to 3 foot size, \$2.20 each

C591 SWEETSHRUB, Fragrant

MEDIUM HEIGHT SHRUBS ng Around House; Flowering Hedges; Groups, etc.

ALTHEA, Double Flowering
Beautiful large double blooms resembling
double flowering hollyhocks.
C536 Double Red
C537 Double Purple
2 to 2 foot size, \$1.65 each
Please Order by Number and Name.

C584 DEUTZIA, Lemoine
Medium height very hardy shrub. Clusters
of white flowers cover it in May. One of
the best for foundation groups, entrances
or shrub borders.

11/2 to 2 foot size, \$2.50 each
2 to 3 foot size, \$2.80 each

2 to 3 foot size, \$2.80 each

C583 DE!**ZIA, Pride of Rochester

double flowers in late Spring are tinged with pink. Especially good for borders and specimen planting.

2 to 3 foot size, \$2.75 each
3 to 4 foot size, \$3.00 each

3 to 4 foot size, \$3.00 each

C586 DOGWOOD, Corel Stem

A tall growing shrub valued for its bright
red branches, which add color to planting during winter. Use in shrub border.

2 to 3 foot size, \$1.50 each

3 to 4 foot size, \$1.50 each

graceful, drooping branches are a cascade of gold in early Spring. Especially beautiful in combination with Flowering Quince in the flowering border and in the foundation planting. Foot size, \$1.50 each 2 to 4 foot size, \$1.50 each 3 to 4 foot size, \$1.50 each 2 to 5 foot size, \$1.50 each 2 to 5 foot size, \$1.50 each 2 to 5 foot size, \$1.50 each 2 to 3 foot size

C531 PRIVET, Regel

An all purpose shrub. Grows to a height of 4 to 6 ft. Arching branches covered with tiny fragrant white flowers for 3 weeks in late May and early June. Attractive glossy foilage. Used at foundations and m yard plantings.

11/2 to 2 foot size, \$1.90 each
2 to 3 foot size, \$2.20 each

11/2 to 2 foot size, \$3.00 each 2 to 3 foot size, \$3.25 each

Medium tall, upright growing—reaching height of 4 to 6 ft. Long spikes of beautiful pink bloom for 15 weeks. Recommended for foundation plantings and for shrub borders.

2 to 3 foot size, \$1.50 each 3 to 4 foot size, \$1.75 each

C509 SPIREA, Froebel—See
"Dwarf Shrubs" 1st column.

C511 SPIREA, Thunberg
Arching branches covered with tiny, white flowers during April and early May. Medium tall-growing to a height of 4 to 6 ft. Dense, compact bush. Used at foundations, entrances and in lawn plantings. For untrimmed flowering better. foundations, entrances and plantings. For untrimmed flower haige.

1 ½ to 2 foot size, \$1.75 each
2 to 3 foot size, \$1.95 each

popular, most spectacular and most wideby planted of all Spireas. Clusters of
small, rose-like, white blooms transform
this plant into a veritable snow-bank in
May and early June. Its profusion of
bloom, graceful arching branches and
medium tall growing habit make Spirea
medium tall growing habit make Spirea
flowering shrubs for foundation plantings, group and specimen plantings on
lawns. Unexcelled for untrimmed flowering hedge.

2 to 3 foot size, \$1.40 each
3 to 4 foot size, \$1.55 each

Profusion of trumpet-shape pink blooms 4 weeks' period in May and June. Compact arching top. Medium size bush—growing to a height of 4 to 6 ft. A favorite for foundation plantings, groups and for specimen plantings on the lawn.

2 to 3 foot size, \$2.35 each
3 to 4 foot size, \$2.70 each

1½ to 2 foot size, \$2.50 each 2 to 3 foot size, \$2.75 each

TALL GROWING SHRUBS

C555 ARROWWOOD

Large clusters of white flowers 2 to 3 inches across in May, followed by thick clusters of blue-black berries. A favorite of Song Birds. Brilliant Fall colors. Fine plant for shady places, especially under trees. Zones 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6. 2 to 3 foot size, \$2.50 each 3 to 4 foot size, \$2.95 each

1 1/2 to 2 foot size, 2.60 each C573 CRANBERRY BUSH, American Large flat heads of White flowers. Large Red Berries all Winter. Attract Song Birds. Bright red foliage in Fall. 2 to 3 foot size, \$2.65 each 3 to 4 foot size, \$3.00 each

C516 HONEYSUCKLE, Morrow
Upright, sall-growing—8 to 10 ft when
grown. Very attractive dark green
leaves. White bloom turning to yellow
3 weeks in April and May. Red berries
in summer and fall. Makes large, dense,
compact bush with spreading top. Used
at high foundation and in yard plantings or as tall screen plantings.
2 to 3 foot size, \$1.60 each
3 to 4 foot size, \$1.75 each

C506 WILLOW, Pussy
A touch of spring for vont garden. This
unright, tall-growing shrub is a perfect
blend of muted tones, with its silvery
cafkins, green leaves and greenish brown
bark. Blends well with mare colorful
shrubs such as American RedBud. Maximum height around 15 to 20 feet.
2 to 3 foot size, \$1.95 each
3 to 4 foot size, 2.50 each

DWARF FRUIT TREES

SAVE 25%—Now You Can Buy a STARK



RESIDENCE

(22 Flowering Shrubs—Top Size and Quality)
Rew Buly Regular Price (orthogon Server \$45.10 \$11.27

(When ordering Write "Home
Beautifying Assort. FC-1-\$33.33)
Key Ne. Plants for Plan No. C-1
1 Japanese Barberry
2 1 Rugosa Rose
3 Red Leaf Barberry
4 3 Spirea, Froebel
5 3 Snowhill Hydrangea
6 1 Rose Pink Althea
7 1 Paul's Scarlet Rose
8 1 Butterfly Bush
Virinian Mackarange

HOME BEAUTIFYING ASSORTM'T FC-1 HOME BEAUTIFYING ASSORTM'T FC-2 (28 Flowering Shrubs, 1 Vine— Fop Size and Quality)
Rew Onit Regular Price Options: Savet
\$41.48 \$55.30 \$13.82

(When ordering Write "Home
Beautifying Assort. FC-2—\$41.48)
Key Ne, Plants for Plan No. C-1
1 2 Rugosa Rose
2 2 Regel Privet
3 5 Japanese Barberry
4 2 Red Leaf Barberry
5 1 Wisteria, Purple
6 2 Paul's Scarlet Rose
7 2 Spirea, Froebel
8 2 Snowhill Hydrangea
9 1 Snowberry



Stark Hardy 2-Year Field Grown Roses Bloom First Year SHADE TREES, ORNAMENTAL TREES, FLOWERING TREES | STARK ROSES

C606 ASH, American White

head \$6.50 each

und tree. It will even the nate and soil. Makes a late all planting. foot size, \$3.70 each foot size, \$4.20 each foot size. \$5.20 each foot size.

C613 MAPLE, Purple Leaf
The purplish crimson foliage of this 40 to
60 foot tree emphasizes the green of the
surrounding lawn. Beautifully shaped
round head. Effective when used with
Norway Maple.

5 to 6 foot size, \$10.50 each
6 to 8 foot size, \$11.50 each

C634 MAPLE, Silver
A picturesque, well-shaped tree with a broad crown, growing to a height of 60 to 80 feet. A rapid growing tree, which adapts itself to a variety of soils. For lawns and parks.
5 to 6 foot size, \$5.25 each
6 to 8 foot size, \$5.75 each
8 to 10 foot size, \$6.75 each

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5 to 6 foot size, \$ 9.95 each
6 to 8 foot size, \$10.95 each

4 to 6 foot size, \$3.75 each

C650 PLUM, Burbank's Purple
Flame
Practical and beautiful, covered with rich, purplish-red foliage until late fall. Also bears delicious plums. Height 12 to 15 feet. Use this to give that drab corner new life. Burbank's striking bright purple leaf ornamental lawn tree. Front of leaf is the control of the leaf of the control of the leaf of the lea

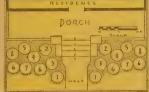
C652 PLUM, Double Flowering
The Double Flowering Plum is also
known as the Rose Tree of China. A
nicely shaped, compact little tree, covered
with rose-like, pink blooms in early spring
before the leaves appear
2 to 3 foot size, \$2.95 each
3 to 4 foot size, \$3.40 each

OME BEAUTIFYING ASSORTMENT to Fit



OME BEAUTIFYING ASSORTM'T FC-3 | HOME BEAUTIFYING ASSORTM'T FC-4

**OME BEAUTIFYING ASSORTM'T FC-3
(12 Flowering Shrubs—Top Size & Qual.)
**Resular Price ** Cuttomer Surver
S21.00
\$28.00**
\$7.00**
**Beautifying Assort. FC-3—\$21.00)
(When ordering Write "Home
(cy No. Plants for Plan No. C-3
1 2 Snowhill Hydrangea
2 2 Virginal Mockorange
3 2 Spirea, Billiard
4 2 Flowering Almond
5 2 Border Forsythia
6 2 Rugoza Rose
(cy numbers in circles denote shrub



(19 Flowering Shrubs—Top Size & Qual.)

New Only Regular Price Customer Saves

\$32.40 \$43.20 \$10.80

(When ordering Write "Home Beautifying Assort. FC-4—\$32.40)

Key No. Plants for Plan No. C-4

1 2 Spirea, Vanhoute
2 2 Lilac, Belle de Nancy
3 3 Japanese Barberry
4 2 Pink Weigela
5 2 Red Weigela
6 4 Snowhill Hydrangea
7 2 Red Leaf Barberry
8 2 Sweet Mockorange

10 to Over 99 100 SIZE Each Each
1-1½ ft. 1.80 1½-2 ft. 2.20

C529 True Hedge Columnberry	1-11/2	ft. 1 ft. 1	.35 1	.30
(Berberis thun.)	1-11/2	ft.]] ft.]]	:20	1.10
(B. t. atropurpurea)	1-11/2	ft. ft.	.70	1.60
Privet C597 Amur R., North (Ligustrum amur)	1-11/2	ft. ft.	.551	.50
C598 Amur R., South Evergreen in So	11/2-2	ft.	.40 .50	.3:
(Lig ovalifolium)	.11/2-2	ft.	.55	.40

STARK PEONIES	Each
B938 Our selection of Varieties.	11 25
B942 Edulis Superba (Pink)	11.50
B941 Felix Crousse (Red)	
B940 Festiva Maxima (White).	11 79
B943 Mons Jules Elie (Silvery P	ink) 2.00
B939 Officinalis Rubra (Red)	2.50
B944 Queen Victoria (White)	1 75

GARDEN ROOTS 10 25 50

B906 Palmetto	2.50	3.75 5.00 5.00	(7.50)
Rhubarb .	85 2.00	10-24 Each 80 1.75	Each 7:
B903 Horseradish	.35	.30	-25

CLIMBING VINES	1-9 Eac	h	10- Eas	up
B934 Bitter Sweet	11.3		1.2	20
Clematis B951 Sweet Autumn* B952 Jackman (Purple)* B969 Mad. Andre (Red)* B950 Henry (White)*	2.5 2.5 2.5		2.3	80
B948 Ramona (Light Blue)*				
B945 Dutchman's Pipe	3./	21	3.5	
Honeysuckle B931 Hall Japanese* B933 Trumpet (Scarlet)*	.9 1.2	0	.8 1.1	5
B946 Boston	1.9	5	1.8	5
Wisteria B932 Chinese (Purple)* B935 White	1.9	5	1.7	5

Stark roses of all varieties are strictly the finest quality plants that can I Starred Sorts (***, ** or *) are best of type and Season. Patented Roses bandled under License from Patent Owners BIG THRIFTY 2-YEAR-OLD FIELD-GROWN PLANTS

Sensational New "All-America" Winners

Superior EVERBLOOMING Hybrid Tea Roses — \$1.95 Each All Roses Listed Alphabetically BIG THRIFTY 2-YEAR-OLD FIELD-GROWN PLANTS

B733 Burbank Scarlet Flame Red
B723 Burbank Scarlet Flame
B757 Goldilocks** (U. S. Pat.) Striking
Yellow
B751 Pinocchio** (U. S. Pat.) Winsome,
Peach
B754 Floradora*** Cinnabar Red
B755 Red Pinocchio*** (U. S. Pat.)

STARK QUALITY CLIMBING Roses - \$2.50 Each

New Top Leaders—U. S. Patented Climbers.

B776 Aloha*** (U. S. Pat.) New Enormous Rose Pink Recurrent
B772 Climbing Floradora*** (Pat. No. 1054) Clinabar Red
B772 Climbing Chimson Glory*** (U. S. Pat.) Magnificent, Fragrant
B744 Climbing Chimson Glory** (U. S. Pat.) Rose Deace Long Stem.
B747 Dr. J. H. Nicholas*** (U. S. Pat.) Rose Deace Long Stem.
B778 Doubloons*** (U. S. Pat.) Rose Deach Recurrer
B778 Doubloons*** (U. S. Pat.) Rose Deach Vigorous Grower
B745 King Midas*** (U. S. Pat.) Shimmering Gold, Prolific

FAVORITE CLIMBING Roses - \$1.95 Each

B746 Burbank's Copper Climber*** New,
Copper (U S Pat.)
B748 Burbank's Snowhite Cl.*** New,
White (U.S. Pat.)
B747 Burbank's Golden Sunset* Yellow
B743 Blaze** Recurrent Bloomer Red
B741 Paul's Scarlet Climber*** Brilliant
Red—Very Popular

Money-Saving Rose Assortments

"SENSATIONAL SIX" ROSE
ASSORTMENT—No. RF-10

(6 New U. S. Patent EVERBLOOMING (H. T.) Bush Roses)
Now Only Regular Price Customer Saves

\$12.75

\$13.95

Peace (Golden Pink); Dickson's Red (Scarlet Red); McGredy's Sunset (Yellow); Forty-Niner (Red and Gold); Mme. Henri Guillot (Watermelon Pink); Charlotte Armstrong (Cerise).

"POPULAR FAVORITE" ROSE

ASSORTMENT—No. RF-20

(6 Beautiful EVERBLOOMING (H. T.) Bush Roses)

Now Only Regular Price Customer Saves

\$9.77 \$11.70 \$1.93

Ami Quinard (Dark Crimson); Etoile de Holande (Crimson); K. A. Viktoria (White); Mrs. P. S. DuPont (Deep Golden Yellow); Pres. Hoover (Maroon and Gold); Sunburst (Yellow).

"EXPERTS' CHOICE" DOZEN ROSE ASSORTMENT-No. RF-30

(12 Most Popular EVERBLOOMING (H. T.) Bush Roses)
Now Only Regular Price Customer Saves
\$19.54
\$23.40
\$3.86

Ami Quinard (Dark Crimson); Christopher Stone (Crimson Scarlet); Sunburst (Yellow); Edith Nellie Perkins (Salmon Pink); Etoile de Hollande (Crimson), Golden Dawn (Golden Yellow); K. A. Viktoria (White); Mme, Joseph Perraud (Nasturtium Yellow); Mrs. P. S. DuPont (Deep Golden Yellow); Red Radiance (Red); Pres, Hoover (Maroon & Gold); Talisman (Copper Yellow). (If supply of any variety in Assortments is exhausted our Experts will select one of equal or greater value.)

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PLANT STARK TREES-And You Plant the Best!

DO YOU GET THESE EXTRA BENEFITS

STARK TREES OFTEN PAY FOR THEMSELVES WITH FIRST CROP

\$21.45 Worth of Apples on 3-Year Stark Golden Delicious Tree
"3 years ago we ordered three 'Gold-Mine' Orchards from you and we are now in position to mail out Christmas boxes with a dozen Stark Golden Delicious in a box.
"We have apples that are 4 inches across them now. One tree has 146 apples on it and has been planted here 3 years and it was a hard winter and spring here on them."—Mrs. Lynn McDonald. Barry County, Michigan.

\$24.00 Worth of Cherries from
5-Year Stark Gold Tree
(excerpt from Moberly, Mo. paper)
"John L. Widner delivered 33 pounds of
Stark Gold Sweet Cherries in Moberly which
sold at 40 cents a yound. This 33-pound delivery
was part of the crop from one tree, as the family used about half of the crop at home. Widner
estimates the yield from this one tree to have
been about 60 pounds. It is a 5-year tree and
has borne a good crop the past two seasons.
"This Stark Gold Cherry is hardy, a regular
and heavy bearer and is one cherry the birds let
me pick—some call it the 'bird-proof cherry,' Mr.
Widner said."

\$4.00 a Bushel for Peaches from 3-Year Stark Trees

"My Hal-Berta, J. H. Hale and Red Bird Cling Peach trees I bought from you 3 years ago had the finest peaches on them I ever saw. They weighed 14 ounces. I sold them for \$4.00 a bushel and got 5c apiece for sejected ones. I gathered as much as 1½ bushels per tree. I can recommend Stark trees as the finest, fastest growing trees I ever saw." — John W. West. Cherokee County, Ala.

\$4,850.00 Crop of Burbank July Elberta Peach

W. A. May of LaMar County, Texas sold his 1948 crop of Burbank July Elberta Peaches from his young 10-acre orchard for \$4.85.00 = 485.00 per acre. Mr. May recently wrote us:
"My orchard is set out on 25 foot centers giving me about 69 trees to the acre. I have only Burbank July Elberta Peach Trees in my orchard and I must say that Stark Trees are second to none."

STARK ORCHARDS AND ORNAMENTALS **INCREASE PROPERTY VALUES**

Stark Trees Added \$1,200.00
to Selling Price of Lot
"I have five half-acre lots eleven miles from
Chicago," writes Mr. O. R. Moore.
"My friend, Mr. Brown, who is Vice-President
of one of the largest real estate firms in the
city, was offered \$1200.00 MORE for one of his
half-acre lots simply because his fruit trees,
planted every 30 feet, were loaded with all kinds
of fruit—and these were 4-year-old trees."
Stark World's Champton Fruit Trees would
add \$6,000.00 to the value of Mr. Moore's five
lots on this same basis, and one crop of high
quality fruit often pays the entire cost of the
trees.

"Stark Trees Too Low Priced,"
C. M. Mathis, Ky.
"We planted the trees you sent us. We were very much delighted in your choice trees. The sale was a surfaced to the sale was too cheap, when you consider the high grade of trees you place on the market."

Stark Trees Helped Sell Old Place—Wants Bigger Stark Orchard on New Farm

"I am sure our home orchard on the place we sold helped to sell the place. Our Starking Delicious and Stark Golden Delicious apple trees and our Hal-Berta Giant peach and July Elberta peach trees bore a few fruits the second year after planting. I am most anxious to get a larger orchard started on our new 80-acre farm. Please rush me your catalog, so I can get started planning my new orchard."—B. L. Powers, Pulaski Co., Ark.

Stark Orchard Cost Him \$80.00-Helps Get

33,950 More for His Place Only 6 Years Later
"I bought about \$80,00 worth of trees from
you about 5 or 6 years ago for my small place
which had cost me \$55,00. I sold out for \$4,
500,00. My and orchard helped me sell the
place and make a good profit. I have bought a
new place now—and will buy again from you."
—Chas. A. Coleman, Pike Co., Kentucky.

Results Show Why Stark Trees Are the Lowest Priced Trees on Earth!

1 Stark Trees Bear Quicker—1, 2 or 3 Years Sooner, often when only 2 years old.

2 Stark Record-Bearing Strains Bear Best, because they come from finest Parent Trees.

3 Stark Customers Get "Miracle" Fruit—Created by Stark and Burbank, Wizard of Horticul-

4 Every Stark Tree is Guaranteed to arrive Safely at your shipping Point — or we Replace FREE. 3-Way Guarantee.

5 Every Stark Tree is True to Name—Stark Head Propagator makes Affidavit yearly.

6 Stark Customers Get All the Roots, because we dig with Stark Patent Power Digger.
7 Stark Big, Husky-Rooted Trees Grow Faster, because grown by Stark Trade-Marked "Old Oak Process" Reg. U.S. Pat. Off.

Oak Process" Reg. U.S. Pat. Off.
Stark Trees are Super-Quality
—they are Grown by Experts.
Backed by Experience of 6 Generations—138 Years.
Stark Tree Roots are Protected
From the Sun and Wind by
Covered Vans and Cool, Dark
Packing Houses.

Packing Houses.

10 Every Stark Shipment Carries State Inspection Certificate, and every tree is inspected times before shipment.

HOW TO SELECT VARIETIES FOR BEST CROSSPOLLINATION AND HEAVIER BEARING to biosomic varieties need some other variety growing and the biosomic variety growing growing and the biosomic variety growing growi

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different varieties of apples
od. PEACHES. Most peach of sweet 'cherries, one of which should be strong pollenizer like listof Tartarian Improved or Stark Gold. PLUMS. Use several varieties of plums if possible, at least 2 different varieties. APRICOTS. All our apricots are self-fruitful. GRAPES. Plant 2 or more varieties of grapes

How to Select Varieties

HARDINESS—After descriptions in catalog, key letters—NCS—show region where the variety grows successfully—NN means Far North; N, North; C, Central; S, South; hence NCS means it grows well North, Central, South.

POLLINATION—There are probably enough Fruit Trees growing near you to pollinate those you plant. To make sure of cross-pollination select different varieties. It is best to plant at least 2 Apple varieties, 2 or more Pear, Plum, Sweet Cherry and Peach.

varieties, z or more Pear, Pluin, Sweet Cherry and Peach. \$5.00 MINIMUM ORDER, Stark Bro's lose money on orders totaling less than \$5.00. In the event order totals less than \$5.00, please add 50c to the total to help cover cost of handling. This applies to Stark Nursery Stock only—not to Stark Tre-Pep, Orchard Fertilizer, Spray Materials, Strawberries.

STARK TRE-PEP

STARTER FERTILIZER

IFOR USE WHEN TREES ARE PLANTED!
Also for Quick Feeding of Trees and Plants
During Growing Season
Gives Quick, Vigorous Start to Your Young
Trees and Plants. Fine for Trees, Shrubs,
Roses, Berries, Vegetables, House Plants, etc.



Just add one tablespoonful of this Concentrated Plant Food to one gallon of water and pour into hole on dirt as you plant Fruit Trees, Shrubs, Roses, etc. It will start quick growth and stimulate Young Bearing.
Stark TRE-PEP is also wonderful for Vegetables and House Plants. You will be amazed at the quick response of your Plants in larger, more profuse blooms. Just pour around plants on top of ground or mulch.

1½-1b. Package of Stark Tre-Pep makes 37 Gallons of Liquid Fertilizer.

PRICES POSTPAID. Please Send Cash With Order. 1½-lb. can \$1.90 5-lb. bag \$5.50

STARK Orchard Fertilizer

(FOR USE ON ESTABLISHED TREES)

Spectacular Tree Growth. Increases Crops Up to Double in Yield. Improves Size and Quality of Fruit



PRICES POSTPAID. Please Send Cash With Order. 5 lbs......\$3.30 18 lbs......\$7.55

IT'S FUN! IT'S EASY TO SPRAY WHEN YOU USE Stark's New Combination Spray

JUST ADD WATER — THAT'S ALL

IT'S EFFICIENT ... IT'S SAFE ... IT'S EASY TO USE

Full Directions on Package. 1 lb. will spray 25 1-year trees; 65-year trees for the entire season (5 applications) when applied with a hand Sprayer.

All the ingredients needed for complete protection are already mixed in Stark COMBINATION Spray—just add water.

PROTECTS ALL KINDS OF FRUITS AND TREES

Stark COMBINATION Spray protects both the tree and fruit from insects and diseases—Apples, Peaches, Cherries, Plums, Pears, Grapes. Also excellent for Flowering Shrubs, Shade Trees, Roses and other Ornamentals.

LARGER FRUIT—BIGGER CROPS

Bigger crops of large size, clean, sugar-sweet, tree-ripe fruit from your own trees can now be yours when you protect your trees and fruit with Stark COMBINATION Spray, which combines 4 highly effective and safe chemicals in one Easy-to-Use Spray. No longer do you have to carry a Drug Store in your basement. No longer do you have to measure out a teaspoonful of this and an ounce of that—it's already mixed for you in Stark COMBINATION Spray.

"NOW It's Fun to Spray"

Stark COMBINATION Spray is so con-

"NOW It's Fun to Spray"
"I didn't spray with anything but Stark Combination Spray and it sure does the work. I take people out to see the big, fine red apples. I can grow fine Stark Spray."—J. P. Jackson, Ill. "It is the best spray we have found and would use no other—saves time, eliminates waste."—Mrs. Anna T. Medlin, Va. "I can't say enough about Stark Combination Spray. It is very important to the home fruit grower." — John E. George, Ohio.

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George, Ohio.

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"It is the best spray I have ever used. 1 hold some to my neighbors and they also and they have the same that the work."—C. W. Schraeder, Wis.

"It saves struet."—Mrs. Ida Gibbs, Texas.
"The EASIEST spray material to use that's available."—H. T. Waller, Va.
"It's the finest all-around 4-way spray. Fine for trees and fine for fruit."—Beatrice. M. Forsythe, N. Y.

"It enabled me to win First Prizes on all varieties of Apples I entered at Lamar Fair."—Chester Bateman, Mo.
"It makes the spray program a pleasure.—A. W. Kadel, Iowa.
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"It couldn't be eastern more convenienced quicker to use."—Robert Wilking, Ill.

COSTS SO LITTLE

Stark COMBINATION Spray is so concentrated it takes very little to make enough liquid spray to do the job.—½-lb. package makes 8 gallons of liquid spray. It costs only about 7c for enough material to spray a 5-year bearing Apple, Peach, Plum or other fruit Tree.

PRICES

Stark Combination Spray, Postpaid
1/2-Lb.
Package.
1/2-Lb.
Package.
S1.90
1/2-Lb.
Package.
S3.90
Case of Six 1/2-Lb. Packages
(Regular Ea. Price \$10.80)
(Regular Ea. Price \$22.50)
S19.15

SPRAYS and DUSTS
for Special Uses

Stark Bro's Borer Spray—Keeps borers out of trees. Kills borers already under bark. Stark Bro's Borer Spray — Keeps borers out of trees. Kills borers al-

Stark Combination Spray and Dust are products of Stark Home Orchard Research. They are Developed and Distributed Exclusively by Stark.



 $1\frac{1}{2}$ -lb. package of Stark Combination Spray makes 24 gallons of liquid spray.

STARK BRO'S FRUIT and FLOWER DUST

A high-powered DUST that effectively controls both diseases and insects on Fruit Trees, Shrubs, Roses, etc.

One pound, properly applied, will cover 200 square feet of Rose Garden 5 times.

POSTPAID

1 lb. can.....\$2.35

5 lb. bag.....\$5.95



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KNOWN PARENTAGE—"Record-Bearing" Strains gger, Better Fruit SOONER-Every Stark ARANTEED By the World's Largest Nurseries

When you buy your Fruit Trees from Stark Bro's—you every benefit and advantage of more than 138 years of dership in the Fruit and Plant World. Stark Bro's have eloped and introduced more valuable, successful, famous w Fruits than all other nurseries combined. Stark Trees and Plants pass 5 inspections. Official te Inspectors regularly check and certify 'all Stark resry Trees and Plants. Before shipment they must be tin inspected and approved by our superintendent. Five less these trees must pass inspection at the hands of experts o have definite instructions to throw out every tree that is not measure up to the high standards we have set. This your assurance that every Stark Tree and Plant is as near fect as a tree or plant can be.

STARK'S 3-WAY GUARANTEE ON ALL TREES AND PLANTS

GUARANTEED that every Stark Tree and Plant you receive is true to name or *money back, free from disease, State-inspected and in good, live planting condition, GUARANTEED that every Stark Tree or Plant arriving in unsatisfactory condition will be replaced ABSOLUTE-LY FREE, provided you notify us by letter within 2 weeks from date you receive it.

GUARANTEED that, if any Stark Tree or Plant that is given reasonable care does not grow the first Summer, we will share the loss with you by replacing it at 1/2 your cost, provided you notify us before September 1st following planting. *(See "True to Name" on Order Blank.)

Introduced More Fruits than ALL Others

Hon. E. P. Powell, famous Horticultural author, wrote:—
"There are two kinds of men dealing with Fruit Evolution.
One of these is the Burbank sort, applying science to the



development of new sorts. If Burbanks are wizards, Stark Bro's are the Saviors." Stark Bro's have unquestionably introduced more Valuable, Successful, Famous New Fruits than all other nurseries combined.

Sole Heirs to Luther Burbank's

Amazing New Fruit Miracles

When Luther Burbank, the Master Plant Breeder, realized that the end of his remarkable work was near, he named Stark Bro's exclusively to continue his world-famous experiments. And Stark Bro's alone were selected by the Wizard of Horticulture to introduce his new discoveries and creations to fruit and plant growers everywhere.

Men of little faith scoffed at Luther Burbank when, in 1893, he printed his first little catalog of "New Creations" in Plant and Fruit Life—including new fruits, larger and more beautiful and far more delicious than had ever before been known. But a small handful of kindred Pioneers possessed the faith and foresight to recognize the genius of this Maker of Miracles. Outstanding among these Pioneers were the nationally known Nurserymen, Orchardists and Horticulturists, the Stark Brothers.

Helped By Stark Bro's From The Start

The Fourth Generation of Stark Nurserymen in Missouri had not only the birthright and background to give them faith in Luther Burbank, they also were able to back up this faith with financial support at the very time when Burbank's future and the future of his history-making fruit and plant creations hung on that support.

The Stark Brothers bought from Luther Burbank the sole rights to the FIRST TREES of "New Creations" the Wizard of Horticulture ever sold. For these exclusive rights Stark Bro's paid the Master Plant Breeder what at that time was the fabulous sum of \$9,000.00.

As a consequence of this vision and financial support and because, in all the world, the Stark Family was the one best equipped by tradition and experience to carry on this miractions work, Stark Bro's Nurseries—and Stark Bro's alone—were chosen by Luther Burbank to spread his great work throughout the world.

Today, over 100 years after the birth of Luther Burbank, Stark Bro's are proud to share with you the greatest achievements of "The Green-Thumbed Pioneer" whose great intellect, boundless imagination and patient hands gave the world the most remarkable new kinds of Plums, Plumcots, Peaches, Cherries, Quinces and other fruits ever developed for the greater happiness and health of mankind.

25%—on These Special Low-Priced Y -INTRODUCTORY OFFER ASSORTMENTS

All Trees are Top Quality. Regular Size Apple and Pear Trees are 4 to 5 ft.; Cherry, Peach, Plum and Apricot are 3 to 4 ft. Super-Size Apple and Pear Trees are 5 to 7 ft. size; Cherry, Peach, Plum and Apricot Trees are 4 to 5 ft. size.

In the event any variety is exhausted, our Horticultural Experts will select another of equal or greater value.

"BIG 6 LEADER" APPLES

Assortment No. F-1 Only \$11.63 REGULAR PRICE \$15.50 — YOU SAVE \$3.87

When Ordering, Just Write—ASSORTMENT No. F-1—\$11.63

1 Stark Golden Delicious Apple
1 Stark Jonared Apple
1 Stark Dbl. Red Rome Beauty
1 Scarlet Staymared Apple
1 Scarlet Staymared Apple
1 Scarlet Staymared Apple

"Special Choice 6" Fall & Winter Apples

Assortment No. F-2 Only \$10.84

REGULAR PRICE \$14.45 — YOU SAVE \$3.61

When Ordering, Just Write—ASSORTMENT No. F-2—\$10.84
Stark JonGrimes Apple
1 Scarlet Staymared Apple
1 Jone-A-Red Apple
1 Rome Beauty, Dbl.-Red Apple
1 York-A-Red Apple
1 York-A-Red Apple

"SELECT SUMMER 6" APPLES

Assortment No. F-3 Only \$8.78 * Regular Size Top Quality Stark Trees
REGULAR PRICE \$11.70 - YOU SAVE \$2.92

When Ordering Just Write—ASSORTMENT No. F-3—\$8.78

Early Red Bird Apple
Yellow Transparent Apple
Wealthy Double-Red Apple
**Also in Super-Size Trees for ONLY \$9.90

For All 3 Assortments Above \$30.00
REGULAR PRICE \$41.65— YOU SAVE \$11.65

WORLD'S CHAMPION APPLES

Assortment No. F-4 Only \$21.23 REGULAR PRICE \$28.30 — YOU SAVE \$7.07

When Ordering Just Write—ASSORTMENT No. F-4—\$21.23
Stark RedGold Apple, New Stark Golden Delicious Apple Stark Jonared Apple Stark Jonared Apple Stark Jonared Apple Stark Jonared Apple Scarket Staymared Apple 1 Early McIntosh Apple 1 Early McIntosh Apple 1 Early McIntosh Apple 1 Early McIntosh Apple 1 Virginia Crab Apple 1 Virgi

New Extra Hardy Home Yard Orchard

Assortment No. F-5 Only \$38.02 REGULAR PRICE \$50.70 — YOU SAVE \$12.68

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**Also in Super-Size Trees for ONLY \$41.29

HALF ACRE SPECIAL HOME ORCHARD

Assortment No. F-6 Only \$68.81 REGULAR PRICE \$91.75 — YOU SAVE \$22.94

Best Varieties, ripe from early to late.

When Ordering, Just Write—ASSORTMENT No. F-6—S68.81

2 Stark Golden Delicious Apple
2 Starking Delicious Apple
3 Stark RedGold Apple—New
4 Scarlet Staymared Apple
4 Double-Red Rome Beauty
5 Early Red Bird Apple
6 Lodi, Early Golden Apple
7 Wealthy, Double-Red Apple
8 Urbank Great Yellow Plum
9 Stark Gold Sweet Cherry
9 Starking Hardy Giant Cherry
1 Monte Stark Red Pie Cherry
1 Mont. Stark Red Pie Cherry
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3 Mont. Stark Red Pie Cherry
4 Mont. Stark Red Pie Cherry
5 Hardwing Peach
5 Lincoln Pear
5 Starking Delicious Aprice
5 Lincoln Pear
6 Delicious Aprice
6 Lincoln Pear
7 Harder Peach
7 Hardwing Peach
8 Hardwing Peach
8 Hardwing Peach
9 Hardwing Pea

"SUPER-6 LEADER" PEACHES

Assortment No. F-8 Only \$12.75 REGULAR PRICE \$17.00 — YOU SAVE \$4.25

When Ordering, Just Write—ASSORTMENT No. F-8--\$12.75
Honeydew Hale Peach
Starking Delicious Peach
Stark Early Elberta Peach
1 Stark Red J. H. Hale
1 Hal-Berta Giant Peach

**Also in Super-Sixe Trees for ONLY \$13.88

STARK GOLD MEDAL PEACHES

Assortment No. F-9 Only \$18.15 * Regular Size Top Quality Stark Trees REGULAR PRICE \$24.20 — YOU SAVE \$6.05

When Ordering, Just Write-ASSORTMENT No. F-9-\$18.15

One tree each of the 10 Best Peaches in the world today-provides luscious yellow fleshed peaches, early to late.

Starking Delicious Peach
Golden Jubilee Peach
Burbank July Elberta Peach
Halehaven Peach
Stark Elberta Giant Peach
Stark Elsty Elberta Peach
Stark Early Elberta Peach
**Also in Super-Size Trees for ONLY \$20.25

SPECIAL 10 TREE ASSORTMENT

Assortment No. F-10 Only \$20.32 Regular Size Top Quality Stark Trees \$6.78

Stark Golden Delicious Apple
Starking Delicious Apple
Jonared Apple
Summer Champion Apple
Earty Red Bird Apple
Also is Super-Sixe Trees for

1 Lincoln Pear
1 Omaha Plum
1 Mont. Stark Red Pie Cherry
1 Burbank July Elberta Peach
1 Hal-Berta Giant Peach
for ONLY \$22.20

BIG COMPLETE I ACRE FARM HOME FAMILY OR

Assortment No. F-7 Only \$122.29 REGULAR PRICE \$163.05 — YOU SAVE \$40.76

When Ordering, Just Write—ASSORTMENT Ne. F-7—5122.29

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Starking Delicious Apple
Stark RedGold Apple—New
Stark Deliches Apple
Stark RedGold Apple—New
Stark Deliches Stark Deliches Grimes Golden, "Double-Red Apple
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Early McIntosh Apple
Wealthy, Double-Red Apple
Early McIntosh Apple
Wealthy, Double-Red Apple
Stark JonGrimes Apple
Winesap Apple
Stark Florence Crab Apple
Stark Florence Crab Apple
Stark Florence Crab Apple
Stark Gold Sweet Cherry
Starking Horder Stark Stark Early Elberta Peach
Stark Florence Crab Apple
Stark Gold Sweet Cherry
Starking Hardy Giant Cherry
Starking Apple
Stark Golden Elberta Cling Peach
Honeydew Hale Peach
Honey

Demonstration Orchards" To Introduce Stark New and Patented Varieties

Knowing the value of these remarkable new fruits, we make the following Special Prices on Demonstration Orchards to encourage the planting of Advertising Orchards of new Stark varieties in each community. Purchasers to be first class, reliable and agree to take good care of the trees, and report to us when they bear.

20 BIG TREES ONLY \$38.40

HONEYDEW HALE Peach—New Miracle Peach, U.S. Pl. Patent No. 888—GIANT White Flesh Freestone. Top Shipper. 3 to 4 ft.

Regular VALUE \$64.00 — YOU SAVE \$25.60

20 BIG TREES ONLY \$38.40

STARKING DELICIOUS Peach—Earliest TOP Quality Yellow Free-stone. U. S. Pl. Patent No. 803, 3 to 4 ft.

Regular VALUE \$64.00 — YOU SAVE \$25.60 Also in 4 to 6 ft. Super-Size Trees for ONLY \$42.00

20 BIG TREES ONLY \$32.40

REDGOLD Apple, New Brilliant Red Hybrid of Stark Golden Delicious, U.S. Pl. Patent No. 720. 4 to 5 ft.

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